

McLean's Ex-Bartender-Bodyguard Puts on Word-Stalling Skit at Oil Inquiry

Publisher's General Factotum So Brazen in Fantastic Sallies He Laughs at Own Effrontery

Gum-Chewing, Cigarette-Smoking Personal Sleuth Answers Questions in Manner So Droll Even Grave Senators Giggle.

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WASHINGTON, March 12.—It was an entertaining session but not an enlightening one which the Senate Oil Investigating Committee had yesterday with John F. Major, the ex-bartender companion, bodyguard and personal sleuth of Edward B. McLean. Major's face frequently broke into a broad and revealing grin at some of the explanations which he gave of telegrams that passed between himself and his employer. They were so amusing that he laughed himself.

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Major, who was seen by McLean in a series of answers that evoked wholesale mirth from everybody, including the committee, was so brazen it was funny, and Major obviously realized the fact, for on several occasions when returning an explanation never did he sound so fantastically sure his voice cracked with suppressed laughter before he could get it out.

"Didn't Use Ordinary Language." For example, there was the telegram from Major to McLean, which said:

"Willis saw party this morning. There has been some surprise as to where this meant Senator Willis of Ohio. Daugherty's friend and defender."

That referred to Mr. Lambert, Mr. McLean's attorney. Major explained: "You see his first name is Willis, but I sometimes call him Willis in a friendly way."

Then perhaps you can explain this subsequent telegram, he said. Senator Willis, he read out, which said: "Willis is in full session of the matter. After battle of wits between Lambert and myself, this was accomplished."

"Oh, I see what you mean," rejoined Major. "Well, I simply was referring to Lambert in one place as Willis and in another place as Lambert. Of course, it was not very good grammar, but I was talking about the same man in both places."

"Anybody reading this telegram certainly would assume, from the ordinary words of language, that Major and Lambert are either," declared Walsh. "But Senator" was the quick and humorous response, "you can see from our telegrams that we didn't use ordinary language." Even Walsh smiled during the explosion of the White House.

"And what did he say about me?" "Oh, he spoke very highly of you sir."

"Who was working on me, and what for?" the Senator inquired.

"Well, I don't suppose I should have used the phrase 'working on you Senator,' was the deprecatory reply. "What I really was trying to do was to find out whether you intended to put Mr. McLean on the stand again that's all."

"Then why didn't you come and ask me?" Walsh inquired. "I don't know," was the humble reply.

Another telegram said: "Met party this morning. He will see that man today."

"Who was the party?" Walsh asked. "That might have been Mr. Barney Baruch."

"Who was the man he was to see? That must have been you, Senator."

"What was he to see me about?" "I don't remember very clearly. Maybe it was to ask you if I was intended to subpoena Mr. McLean."

"Well, tell what he said." "He said several things. He said it was a damn shame Ned McLean was mixed up in this thing."

"And what did he say about me?" "Oh, he spoke very highly of you sir."

"Who evidently had not been asking for Baruch's personal opinion of him."

"But did he see me?" he asked. "No, I don't believe he did," was the reply.

"A Purely Social Call." In the examination of another telegram it was brought out that when Major returned from a visit to McLean at Palm Beach, he came back in the company of Bascom Stimp, secretary to President Coolidge, and also had been visiting the Attorney-General, and frequently visited Stimp at the White House.

"We talked about various things," he elucidated. "I found him a very interesting man, and a very likable one."

"Was your visit to him a purely social call?" "Certainly."

"Did he send any message by you?" "Yes, he sent Mr. and Mrs. Smith some rewards, and said to tell them he was sorry he could not go back to Florida, as he felt that his trip had done him a world of good."

Doheny, in Private Car "Patriot," Going West to Fight Suits. By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, March 12.—Edward L. Doheny, oil magnate, on leaving late yesterday for Los Angeles, said he was prepared to defend his rights in any action brought by the Government to cancel oil contracts held by him.

In addition to defending the suit, he said, he had no idea what would be done with the leases on the White House.

The committee is interesting it self in the operations of what the members declare to be a "ring of fixers" which has surrounded the Department of Justice with their protestations of ability to get things done.

U. S. SEIZES CUNARDER FOR DRY, DRUG AND CUSTOMS VIOLATIONS

By the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, March 12.—GOVERNMENT agents late today seized the Cunarder *Oruina* in New York harbor for violation of the customs, national prohibition and narcotic laws. The chief steward was among those taken into custody.

NEW YORK, March 12.—Agents of the Federal Narcotic Division, led by United States District Attorney Howard, today boarded the steamship *Oruina*, arrested eight of the crew, including two officers, and seized \$10,000 worth of illegal whisky and morphine.

now who that was," said Major, grinning.

"Perhaps this will help you," said Walsh, and he continued to read. "He expects something."

"Now, Senator Walsh, I want to be perfectly candid with you. I want to tell you all I can," said Major, to the acute amusement of everybody present. "I think that must have meant Mr. Rochester."

Edward S. Rochester is the Department of Justice publicity man who sent McLean a telegram warning him that the committee was looking up his bank account.

"Well, what did Mr. Rochester expect?" Walsh asked. "I'll explain this," Walsh replied. "He called me up that morning, and told me he wanted to see me at 5 o'clock, to tell me something. I was sure that, if he had the information already, he would have given it to me over the telephone, then, so naturally I assumed that he didn't have anything, but was expecting something."

The laughter which had gone before was mild compared with that which greeted this answer, and Major joined in it.

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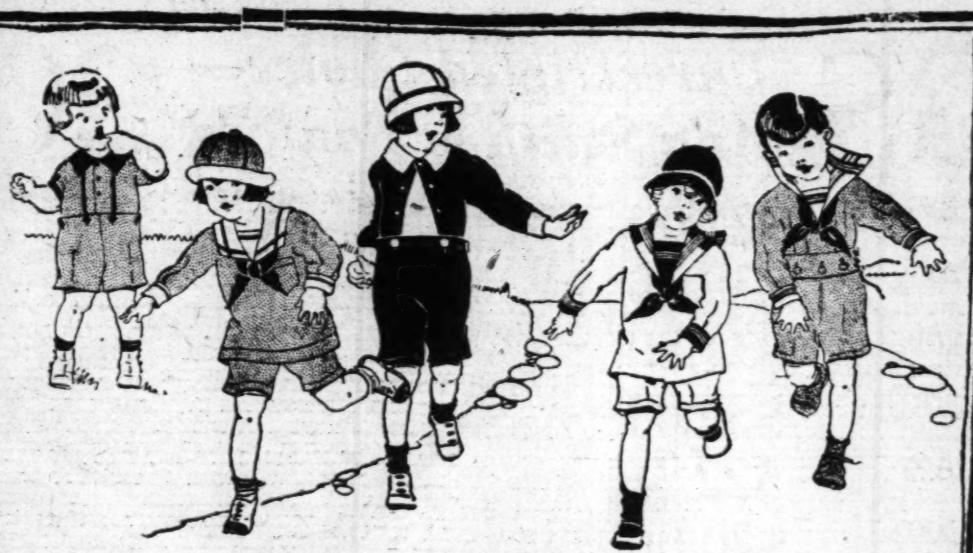
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materials—for all types of fig-
ures and in all sizes.
(Second Floor.)

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Limelight, These
Colored Hats
med Models
\$10

STIX, BAER & FULLER
GRAND-LEADER

See Our Other Announcement on Page 11.

Thursday—A Sale of
Boys' Wash Suits

Sizes 2 to 6—500 Excellent Garments \$1.65
at an Extremely Low Price

An important economy awaits every mother who takes advantage of this sale of Wash Suits. The price in itself is an inducement for generous buying—and the Suits are of such fine quality, and so well made, that they will look well through many, many washings. They were purchased from a manufacturer who makes a specialty of boys' tailored garments.

One and two piece models in solid colors and combinations; some in regulation style, others with Irish linen trimming. Combinations of sand and brown, or sand and Copen. Sizes 2 to 6.

(Second Floor and Thrift Av.—Main Floor.)

Rompers, Creepers, Flapper Suits

Special, 95c

The Rompers and Creepers are of gingham and chambray, in solid colors and checks, trimmed with stitching and piping. Sizes 1 to 4 years.

The Flapper Suits are of khaki twill, with sport collar, belt and pockets. Sizes 2 to 6.

Every garment is an exceptional value.
(Second Floor.)

Nurses' and Maids' Uniforms

Are Very Specially Priced

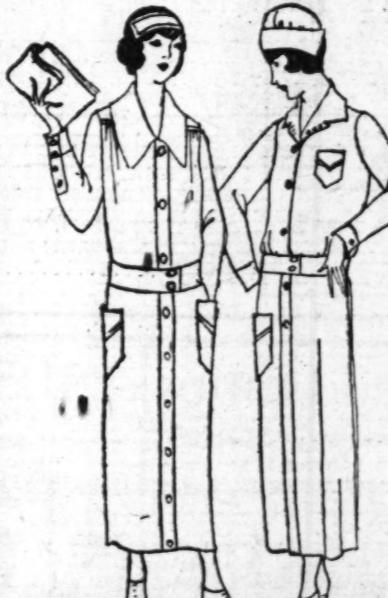
At \$1.98

POPLIN, Indian Head muslin and nurses' cloth of good quality; tailored in regulation styles; some with fitted belt, others loosely belted. The Hoover model, too, is included.

Maids' Uniforms are of black soisette, cotton pongee or poplin; a few in solid blue chambray, white collared.

(These Uniforms are slightly soiled,
and some have slight imperfections.
All sizes are represented, but not in
every style.)

(Second Floor.)

Thursday We Will Offer Many Smart New Styles in
Spring Footwear
In a Low-Priced Group at \$7.50 Pair

THE woman who dresses smartly chooses her footwear with discriminating care, that it may be in perfect harmony with her costume. When smart new styles are offered at a special price, she recognizes it as a signal for purchasing.

This group, including more than twenty styles, for street and dress wear, in suede, satin and patent leather. There are strap pumps, with medium and short wamps, and Spanish, Cuban or box heels. Walking Oxfords in brown and black kid and calfskin are also included.

You will receive here expert attention,
with fittings by experienced salespeople

(Main Floor.)

Thursday Features in the
Sale of Wash Fabrics

Importers' Surplus Stock of
Fancy French Eponge

Fine Quality
Filet Weave 59c Yard

THIS fabric is unusually attractive in its fancy filet weave; a large assortment of popular solid colors is shown. 36 inches wide—an exceptional value in this Annual Sale.

New Wash Fabrics at

Natural Color Silk-Mixed Pongee
Imported Checked Zephyr Gingham
Lingerie Dimity and Voile, in colors
Imported Solid Color Gingham
Imported Solid Color Voiles
Novelty Weave Imported Suitings
Plain and Striped Luster Satin
Checked Dress Crepes in colors
Lingerie Crepes

39c
Yard

(Second Floor.)

The Annual Sale of
Silk Hosiery

Provides Important Economies on Hose
of the Most Popular Types



Silk Stockings
At \$1.00 Pair

POPULAR weights and
the newest Spring colors—
chiffons in black and new
shades and medium weights
in black, white and colors.
All of these have lisle tops.

Silk Stockings
At \$1.50 Pair

Chiffons in black and fa-
vored Spring shades; granite
silk in black, white and new
colors; Silk Hose in medium
weights in black, white and
colors; heavy-weight Stock-
ings in black. Outsize Silk
Hose in black and colors. All
silk or lisle tops.

Silk Hose for Men
At \$1.00 Pair

Black Hose with self
clocks.
Silk Hose in colors with self
clocks.
Plain black Hose.
Silk Hose in white and
colors.

(Main Floor.)

Linen Specials

Hemstitched Linen Table Sets

At \$3.95

IT is an unusual offering which presents at such a low price this dainty Table Set consisting of hemstitched tablecloth, size 55x77 inches, and six hemstitched napkins to match. They are made of a fine quality all-linen silver bleached damask, and will give excellent wear.

Madeira Luncheon Napkins
\$5.95 Dozen

Madeira handscalloped and hand eyelet-embroidered Luncheon Napkins, size 13x13 inches. They are made of a fine quality round thread linen, and are effectively embroidered in basket designs.

(Second Floor.)

LINOLEUMS

Are Priced for Saving

Nairn's Inlaid Linoleum

Extra Special, Sq. Yd., \$1.29

THIS unusually low price covers a number of attractive designs in Nairn's Inlaid Linoleums. Mosaic and tile effects are included.

Wild's Inlaid Linoleum

Best Quality, Sq. Yd., \$2.45

This is considered America's best quality of inlaid Linoleum. It comes in beautiful marble and tile effects. All purchases will be cut from perfect rolls.

Armstrong's Linoleum

4 Yards Wide, Sq. Yd., 98c

Armstrong's printed cork Linoleum, in a wide range of desirable designs for kitchen, bathroom or office use.

Felt Floorcoverings

9x12 Gold Seal Rugs

Special, \$14.75

Gold Seal Congoleum Rugs; a guaranteed floorcovering in a full range of designs.

Imitation Hardwood Rug Borders

Yard, 55c

Exact reproductions of oak flooring. Yard wide, yard, 55c
24 inches wide, yard, 45c

(Main Floor.)

If Your Boy Can Wear One of These Suits,
This Is a Very Attractive Opportunity,

as the Values Are Truly Exceptional!

Boys' Two-Pant Suits

\$6.95



WE have combed our stocks

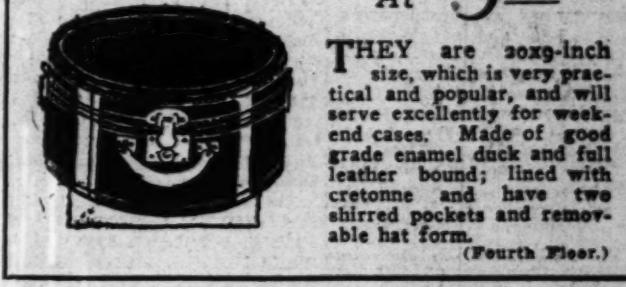
thoroughly for broken
sizes and have arranged an
extremely attractive group
of boys' Suits at this greatly
reduced price.

They are well made of
good quality wools. A va-
riety of patterns and colors.

The Group Includes:

Fifteen Suits—size 6
Twenty-One Suits—size 7
Seventeen Suits—size 8
Twenty Suits—size 9

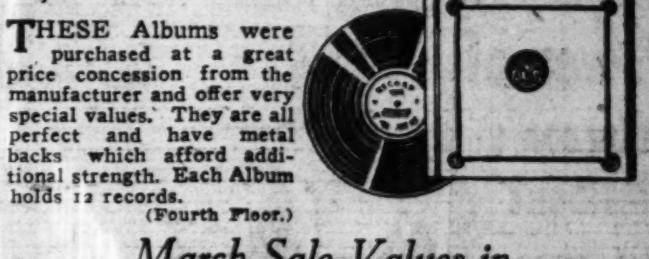
(Boys' Own Store—Fourth Floor.)

Women's Hatboxes
Offer Extreme Values
At \$5.00

THEY are 20x9-inch

size, which is very prac-
tical and popular, and will
make a pretty gift for
second cases. Made of good
grade enamel duck and full
leather bound; lined with
cretonne and have two
shirred pockets and remov-
able hat form.

(Fourth Floor.)

12-In. Record Albums
Special at 55c

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purchased at a great
price concession from the
manufacturer and offer very
special values. They are all
perfect and have metal
backs which afford addi-
tional strength. Each Album
holds 12 records.

(Fourth Floor.)

March Sale Values in
Handkerchiefs
Hand-Embroidered Linens
Slight Seconds—Special Values
25c 35c 50c

OF fine Irish linen, hand
embroidered in white and
colors, but "seconds" because
of very slight imperfections, many
of which are invisible except
upon close inspection. Wide and
narrow hem—beautiful patterns
each an exceptional value.

Linen Handkerchiefs, 19c

Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, of sheer linen, with wide or
narrow hem. Slight seconds.

Dainty novelty Handkerchiefs, with machine-embroidered
corners in white and colors. Have 1/4-inch hem and colored
woven borders.

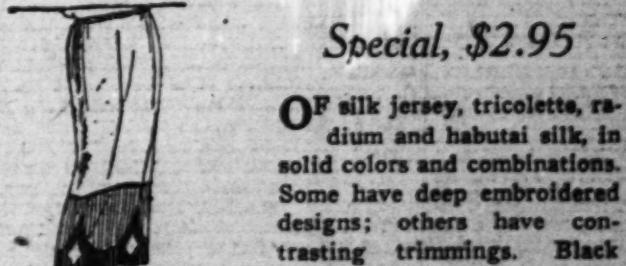
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SPECIAL!
Initialing Without Charge

Free facsimile signature or initialing will \$3.50
apply during this sale to a stock of 500
dozen beautiful quality Men's Handker-
chiefs, at the very special price of

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(Main Floor.)

Silk Petticoats
Special, \$2.95

OF silk jersey, tricotette, ra-
dioid and habutai silk, in
solid colors and combinations.
Some have deep embroidered
designs; others have con-
trasting trimmings. Black
and popular Spring shades.
Unusual values.

(Second Floor.)

Satinay Princess Slips
Special, \$1.95

MANY women will appreci-
ate the economy of buy-
ing these Princess Slips of
high-luster satinay, at this
special price. In strap-shoulder
style, with hemstitched
top, finished at bottom with
three small ruffles. Black,
navy, tan, new blue and gray.
Sizes 36 to 44.

(Second Floor.)

**those
head colds**

At the first sneeze, begin spraying the nose and throat with Zonite twice daily. It will help materially to destroy the seat of the trouble—usually germ infections somewhere in the nasal cavity.

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City Last In Money Spent.

In relation to the nation's demand for increases in wages on the part of extensive building operations here the statistics place St. Louis last in money spent per capita population for building in the last three years in 28 American cities. Los Angeles, with an expenditure of \$24 per capita for the three-year period, heads the list. Other cities spending in excess of \$90 per capita for the period are Dallas, Tex., \$115; Memphis, Tenn., \$111; New York City, \$109; St. Paul, Minn., \$92; Oakland, Calif., \$108; Portland, Ore., \$85; Washington, D. C., \$83; and Atlanta, Ga., \$88. The per capita expenditure here for building during the same period was \$34.

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Interests of St. Louis have gone on record as against further wage increases and when the local building laborers failed to accept an offered advance of 10 cents an hour Monday noon, contractors were authorized to employ other laborers at the old scale.

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**EMPLOYERS JUSTIFY
STAND ON WAGES**

Cite Building Statistics in Other Cities to Show That St. Louis Has Been Penalized.

The Associated Building Interests of St. Louis, an organization of employers of 80 per cent of the building craftsmen here, justify their declared resistance to increased wage demands by the following statistics, compiled from reports of the National Association of Builders' Exchanges and the F. W. Dodge Corporation, which they say show that the St. Louis building public is being "penalized" in its operations by increased wage demands.

The statistics, made public today, show that wages for carpenters, common laborers, bricklayers, hod carriers, plasterers and helpers, painters, cement finishers, iron workers, plumbers, electricians and steam fitters are from 12 to 44 per cent higher than in 17 other large cities in the United States, including New York, Chicago, and Philadelphia.

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Forget the horrible tasting Cod Liver Oil and get the painless, undeveloped children. McNeil's Cod Liver Oil Tablets if you want to give your child a good appetite and put pounds of good, healthy flesh on their bones.

Doctors know all about them, and so does Wolff, Winans, Judge & Dolph, Powers, Enderle, Drug Co. and all good pharmacists, for they are in great demand, because they are not larders but show results in a few days.

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Hot water
Sure Relief
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50c and 75c Packages Everywhere

**RICH, RED BLOOD
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THIS is the time of year when you vitality—rich, red blood, bodily strength, firm flesh, good digestion and abundant energy.

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Get Gude's from your druggist—either liquid or tablets.

Free Tablets To use for yourself the building value of Gude's Pepto-Mangan, send for free package. M. J. Breitenbach Co., St. Louis, Mo.

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**DOCTORS DIDN'T HELP
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It is strong and healthy now.

Mother says Milks Emulsion saved its life.

"Last May my 3-year-old baby was taken very ill, got so bad that we expected her to die at any time. Had four doctors but they did not know what ailed her and finally stopped coming. She had been sick about 5 months when I started giving her Milks Emulsion. I noticed results from the first and by the time she had taken 2 bottles she was strong and healthy again. I am thankful to say Milks Emulsion saved her life."—Mrs. Willis S. Pitts, Nacogdoches, Texas.

For restoring appetite, health and strength in sickly children, mothers will find Milks Emulsion the thing they have always sought. Most children like to take it, because unlike many emulsions and tonics, it really tastes good.

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Extra-full size, of five-ply construction. A complete Trunk—nothing missing; open plush top, dual curtains, iron board, iron holder, locking device, shoe and hat boxes, etc. Choice of two colors. Anniversary special....

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**50c, 60c Curtain
Marquisette**

1200 yards of this fine mercerized qual-

ity Curtain Marquisette, 50 inches wide. A Yard

White ivory or Arabian colors.

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In the Anniversary Sale

40-inch heavy, lustrous

satins Crepe that can be used

versibly. In new shades of tan, coco, French blue, navy and black.

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5.00 Sport Satins

Sport Satins and batonette

Satins in light and dark col-

ors; also black and white. 40

inches wide. 51c

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Extra

9x12 Pabcolin Rugs
Good, heavy, durable quality; a large selection of patterns and color blendings. Sanitary and easily cleaned; will not curl up at edges. \$11.51

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Inlaid Linoleum
Good, heavy, durable quality. Inlaid Linoleum with colors going through to burlap back. 6 ft. wide. Choice selection of patterns and colorings. Sq. yd. \$1.29Floorcovering
Specials
12-ft. wide Linoleum in selection of fine parquetry designs. Seconds of \$1.19 grade. Sq. yd. 87c75c Pabcolin
The artistic, durable floor covering. Many beautiful designs and colorings suitable for any room in the home. Sanitary and easily cleaned. 2 yards wide. Sq. yd. 51c

(Third Floor—Nugents.)

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With 2-inch round post in continuous corner effect with flat fillers, pine wood or Vernis Martin finish.

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up; 32-pound weight. \$21.5127-in. tufted, covered
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Choice mixed goose feathers, extra well filled and 20x 27-in. size. Covered with a fine quality ticking. \$5.85

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of cast iron; open grate; made on legs; in 2-burner deal for laundry and house use.

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Sixth Floor

Recently Added Models Enhance the Importance of Choosing on Thursday From This Group of
Smart Coats for Spring

—All Correctly Styled and Silk Lined

\$25

\$29.75 to
\$39.75
Values...

These are the newest Coat modes for Spring—with splendid choice of fabrics, colors and styles—all garments of a quality you will appreciate securing at this special price. Conservative colors, as well as bright hues and gay patterns, are featured.

Models of dromedary, sylvan cloth, polair, angora, shag, chinchilla and other weaves in sizes 16 to 44; conservatively styled velour Coats in sizes 36 to 44.

Chic Spring Frocks

\$35 to \$49.50 Values—Special at... \$24.50

In these new street, afternoon and dressy Frocks are such smart models as basque, draped, straightline, blouse and sleeveless effects—the materials are Canton, Georgette, crepe satin, flat crepe, satin and Roshamara and the charming lines of all models will delight. Sizes 14 to 44.

For Many Types of Spring and Summer Attire, Milady Will Choose
The New Georgette Crepes

\$1.98 Value—Thursday, Yard \$1.59

In this firm but beautifully sheer fabric, the new Spring colorings gain added charm, and in this assortment are thirty of the most favored shades, both dark and light; 40 inches wide. A dependable, all-silk weave.

\$3.25 Printed Canton

The wanted silk-and-wool Canton Crepe of medium weight; many beautiful patterns and colors; 40 inches; yard... \$2.39

\$1.98 Krepe de Leen

A soft, lustrous fiber Crepe that you will find easy to cut and handle; in all wanted shades; 36 in. wide; yd... \$1.39

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All-Silk Foulards in neat patterns; dark and light colorings; 40 inches wide; \$2.49

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Oriental, Paisley, all-over designs printed on wanted color grounds; 40 inches wide; yard... \$2.19

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All-silk Crepe in a deep black; medium weight and very serviceable; 40 inches wide; yard... \$2.10

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Women's Hosiery

\$1.50 Value, Pair... \$1



Pure silk Hosiery in fashioned-foot style; white, Havana, gray and fawn; also full-fashioned silk Hose in black. All have lisle tops and soles.

\$2.95 Silk Hose

Women's heavy Ingrain Silk Hose in black and several wanted colors; silk tops and 40c to 50c Socks

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of styles; all sizes; pair... \$1.95

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75.17	86.22	97.30	108.40	119.50	130.60	190.00
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DE LUXE BODY CO. TRUSTEE FILES SUIT

Former Vice-President and Partner Asked to Make Accounting of Property.

A suit filed in United States District Court yesterday by W. Scott Hancock, trustee in bankruptcy for the Coupe de Luxe Body Co., demands that George R. Smith Jr., former vice president of the concern, and George B. Fleischman give an accounting for the full value of merchandise turned over to them by Smith's brother, J. F. G. "Gab" Smith, who succeeded George Smith as vice president a short time before the failure.

The petition alleges that "Gab" Smith turned over unfinished bodies and accessories, valued at \$12,000, to his brother and Fleischman, partners in the Gray Motor Sales Co., 2147 Locust boulevard, for the purpose of defrauding creditors. Eighty "koo-pay" bodies in various stages of completion and an unlisted number of accessories figured in the transfer, the petition states, and, although the consideration was to have been \$3000, the company only received \$845 from George Smith and Fleischman. It is further alleged that "Gab" Smith received \$1500 in amounts to \$450 to be done on the bodies by company employees after the transfer, and that claims resulting from this labor were listed as "preferred," and had to be met from the company's assets. The transfer was made without the knowledge of other officers, the petition alleges, and unless George Smith and Fleischman are compelled to make a reasonable accounting the creditors will suffer "irreparable injury."

The Coupe de Luxe Body Co. was organized with George Smith as vice president and salesman for the purpose of building de luxe bodies for Fords. George Smith testified at a hearing in the bankruptcy proceedings that one reason for the company's failure was that many of the bodies were delivered to purchasers "like coats without sleeves." He said that the officers' sleeves. He said that chasers' drafts resulted quite often in bodies being sent out minus windshields, door handles, and electrical equipment.

The company was adjudged bankrupt on a voluntary petition Nov. 22, last. The suit filed by the trustee yesterday states that allowed claims of \$150,000 are still existing against the concern, and that following the payment of preferred claims, present assets amount to \$1200.

SUIT FOR \$3000 BURGLARY INSURANCE ON WHISKY HEARD

Payment Resisted on Ground Plaintiff Obtained Liquor in Violation of Dry Law.

The suit of Herman Kistermacher, 2900 Rutgers street, to recover \$3000 on a burglary insurance policy based on the loss of two barrels of whisky was taken under advisement yesterday by Circuit Judge Taylor. The insurance company, the Travelers' Indemnity, resisted the suit on the ground that plaintiff did not have an insurable interest in the property as he obtained it in violation of the state law.

Kistermacher said his brother-in-law, Theodore Lutz, owed him \$4000 and turned over the whisky in satisfaction of the debt. It was testified the liquor was delivered to plaintiff's home Jan. 16, 1920, the date constitutional prohibition went into effect, though in a proof of loss submitted the insurance company by its attorney stated he obtained possession March 5, 1920. The insurance was obtained March 8 of that year.

The insurance company contends that even if the date was Jan. 16, there was a violation of war-time prohibition as plaintiff did not have a Government permit to buy, nor did his brother-in-law have a permit to sell. It was contended by plaintiff that there was a suspension of war-time regulation on the sale of liquor in order to give dealers a chance to get rid of their stock as well as customers an opportunity to stock up before the advent of constitutional prohibition. Judge Taylor instructed the attorneys to file briefs on the subject.

VANDER SPEECH CANCELED

He Gives No Reason for Tally on "Courage."

By Associated Press
NEW YORK, March 12.—For some unexplained reason Frank A. Vanderlip failed to deliver a scheduled address last night. Several weeks ago the Life Underwriters' Association of New York announced that he would speak on "Courage" at a dinner last night. When he failed to appear a reporter asked him why.

"I am not going to speak anything this evening, was all he would say. It developed that a few days ago the association sent members the announcement that Vanderlip would not speak.

Woman's Death Attributed to Drug

HOOT SPRINGS, Ark., March 12.—Coroner W. H. Johnson investigated the death of Mrs. Tom Marvin, wife of Jack Dempsey's former sparring partner, whose body was found in her room in a boarding house yesterday, reported that the woman died of dilation of the heart caused by use of a drug. The jury heard testimony that Mrs. Marvin was fined \$5 in police court Tuesday, following a quarrel with her husband.

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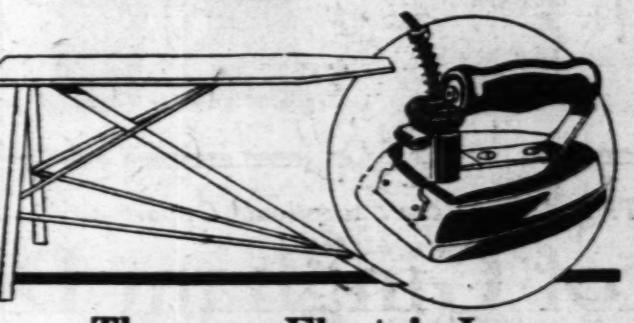
Thursday's News

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Basement Shoe Shop.



Thermax Electric Iron With Ironing Board and Stand

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Singer, \$5 Free, \$15
Domestic, \$10 Singer, \$10
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A few Electric Portables included. Sewing Machine Shop—Basement.

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White or pink Crepe Bloomers, of good quality crepe and nicely tailored. With elastic at waist and knee.

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Very Specially Priced

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The Fifth Avenue beauty claims that Dorothy Gray's attractions are not to be overlooked. **Toilet Goods Section—Second Floor**

Editorial Page
Daily Cartoon

PART TWO.

ALL RESERVE DEAL CALLED TREASON BY MRS. PINCHOT

Wife of Pennsylvania's Governor Says Men Who Turned Over Lands Are Traitors.

ADMITS THAT IT'S A REPUBLICAN SCANDAL

Remarks Taken by Some as Indirect Statement from Husband, Mentioned for Presidency.

The Republican wife of the Governor of Pennsylvania, speaking before the Institute of Government and Politics, at the City Club last night, declared the men at Washington who turned over the naval oil reserves for private exploitation were guilty of treason.

The speaker, Mrs. Gifford Pinchot, followed up her charge by admitting:

"When all is said and done, it is a Republican scandal, inasmuch as the naval oil reserves were lost through the action of a Republican Secretary of the Interior working in combination with a Republican Secretary of the Navy during a Republican administration."

Stresses Conservation.

By some, Mrs. Pinchot's address, which touched on national and international matters, was taken as an indirect statement from Governor Pinchot, who has been mentioned in some quarters for the presidency. Early in the day she had laudably shied away when asked about his possible candidacy. In her talk, however, she called for a return to the "conservation" principles of President Roosevelt who, she said, first fought private exploitation of oil and other lands. Gifford Pinchot was chief of the Federal Forestry Bureau under Roosevelt's administration.

Mr. Pinchot arrived in St. Louis yesterday afternoon and departed last night on the return trip. As a gesture, "the lady of the land" showed a very democratic spirit. The newspaper photographers were all set to take her picture at the Market street entrance to Union Station when it was discovered she was blocking the path of a pushcart laden with celery, destined for dining cars. Mrs. Pinchot graciously stepped aside and the pushcart continued on its journey.

Comments on Industry.

When the pictures were over, she consented to be interviewed. The interview was held across the street in the doorway of a pawnbroker's shop, while the pawnbroker's clerks temporarily laid aside business to watch the attractive, smiling, red-haired, fur-coated person who was being interviewed. After this, Mrs. Pinchot was taken to the home of her local hostess, Mrs. Lamberger Davis, where a tea was given the guests being personal.

In her address last night, Mrs. Pinchot said Washington today is witnessing a contest for power between two ideas—the conservation idea, which is that the natural resources of the country belong to the people, to be used by them for their benefit, and, on the other hand, "the idea that to him the rich shall be given—that the rich and powerful belongs the right to exploit the country for their own profit and further enrichment."

In outlining the history of the fight against such exploitation, Mrs. Pinchot explained, parenthetically, "I have got to be allowed to boast a little when I look back on the share my husband had in working out these policies under the Roosevelt administration."

Defines Conservation.

Conservation was defined by the speaker as "a recognition of the old doctrine that the forests—coal and oil lands—and water power sites—are best used for private profit and asserts, instead, that the use of the earth and all it contains belong rightly to all of the people, and that their interests must be considered in advance of the interests of any smaller group."

What we have witnessed, just now, is a gigantic attempt to overturn the conservation policies. The men who sacrificed the navy's oil to private profit ahead of the safety of the nation. In wartime, their act would have been treason; in peacetime it is no less treason to the best interests of the country.

"A few unscrupulous men have struck a deadly blow at the future defense of our country. That, if it is allowed to stand, can never be repaired. If the navy's oil fields are not recovered, the lives of thousands of our young men will be the sacrifice that American sailors have to pay in the future to the public markets of the world for our navy has to compete in the

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All of "Bond Street" Make, at the Very Special Price of

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2-Trouser Suits

New Spring Models, \$45 and \$50 Values

Offered Special at

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Of splendid worsteds, in blue, gray, brown and tan; also black; pencil stripes, overplaid, checks and mixtures, in light or dark shades.

Second Floor

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Mah Jongg Sets

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Entirely satisfactory for the playing of this popular game are these "Junior" Sets, with 144 wooden tiles, counters, dice and a Babcock Red Book of Rules. Only a limited lot in this offering, so select as early as possible.

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Thursday at

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At this special price, will engrave a 24-piece Set of Tableware with an Old English script initial—or put new prong tips on one pair green or yellow gold Tiffany ring—or re-string a 24-inch strand of beads with a knot between each bead—genuine and seed pearls not included. All work expertly done.

Main Floor Balcony

Parents! Boys' Pencil-Striped Two-Pants Suits

Specially Priced at

\$12.75



New Spring Suits of blue or brown pencil-striped fabrics; coats have yoke, inverted pleats, patch pockets, belt and alpaca lined; both pairs of knickers fully lined. Sizes 9 to 17.

Second Floor

Motorists May Save Decidedly on

Polarine Motor Oil

5 Gallons—Medium Body **\$2.98**

When you can secure this nationally known Motor Oil at such a very favorable price, surely it would be wise to buy a supply for future as well as immediate use.

Light Body \$2.88

Heavy Body \$3.18

5 Gallons Sixth Floor

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5 Gallons Sixth Floor

\$1.00

Save on These
Boys' Shoes

Exceptional \$4 at

These boys' Shoes are of tan and mahogany Russia calf, with rubber heels; made on very latest brogue last. Sizes 1 to 5 1/2.

Second Floor

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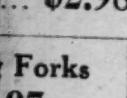
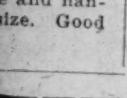
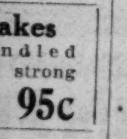
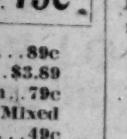
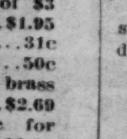
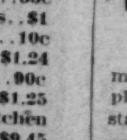
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PART TWO.

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The Republican wife of the
Pennsylvania Governor of Pennsylvania,
speaking before the Institute of
Government and Politics, at the
City Club last night, declared the
men at Washington who turned
over the naval oil reserves for
private exploitation were guilty of
treason.The speaker, Mrs. Gifford Pin-
chot, followed up her charge by
saying:"When all is said and done, it is
a Republican scandal, inasmuch as
the naval oil reserves were lost
through the action of a Republican
Secretary of the Interior working
in combination with a Republican
Secretary of the Navy during a Re-
publican administration."

Stresses Conservation.

By some, Mrs. Pinchot's address,
which touched on national and
international matters, was taken as
an indirect statement from Gov-
ernor Pinchot, who has been men-
tioned in some quarters for the
presidency. Earlier in the day she
had laughingly shied away when
asked about his possible candidacy.In her talk, however, she called for
a return to the "conservation"
principles of President Roosevelt
who, she said, first fought private
exploitation of oil and other lands.Mrs. Pinchot, a member of the
Federal Forestry Bureau under
Roosevelt's administration.

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JOSEPH PULITZER.
April 19, 1907.

LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE

Prohibition and Its Effects.
To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

HERE are a few more prohibition facts
for "Observer" to ignore. Maj. Daniel
Sullivan, Superintendent of Police at
Washington, D. C., has just made public
statistics on crime in that city compiled
during the last 13 years. The population
of Washington increased only 82.1 per
cent during the period between 1910 and
1922, yet arrests for serious crimes
increased 107.47 per cent.
Arrests for murder increased
251 per cent. Arrests for assault
with dangerous weapons increased 307
per cent; arrests for robbery, 102 per
cent; for bigamy, 82 per cent; and for
forgery, 160 per cent. So much for
crime. Then comes the real rub. The
increase in arrests for drunkenness in
1922 over the pre-prohibition year of
1910 was 121 per cent. The above are
on official record at Washington.

So, again, the much vaunted "model
dictator" of Philadelphia, threatening
to arm the thousand-odd frenzies to help
the police catch crime. Of course, the
writer admits that it will be a hard fight
to legalize the sale of harmless beer and
wine, as the vast army of bootleggers and
moonshiners, rum-runners and
agents and their families are naturally
joined with the drys in fighting such
legislation to a finish because it will be
their finish when wholesome beer is
restored to the people. Ninety-nine per
cent of the people today who are
prohibiting the bootlegger would quit
drinking hard liquor if given a chance
to legally buy beer, and the bootlegger
knows it.

The poll now being taken by the Lib-
eral League shows a large majority for
modifying the Volstead act. Prohibition
is showing its dire effects and people in
ever increasing numbers are registering
their disapproval of a land overrun by
bootleggers and overflowing with illicit
whisky.

PRO BONO VINO.

Candidate for Governor.

THE present list of candidates for
Governor, both Republican and Dem-
ocratic, is not impressive. I venture to
suggest that a candidate be drafted, and
to propose Walter Williams, dean of the
University of Missouri School of Jour-
nalism. Dean Williams is a Democrat.
If he were nominated by that party in
the primary, his election would be hardly
a matter of doubt. In his position, he
cannot make an active canvas for the
nomination. I do not think that, on
first consideration, he would wish to
run, but he could hardly refuse to meet
a general demand. I shall not here list
his qualifications for the office, for if
they are not well known, the public
will find them out. I only wish to
recommend this suggestion to many, then
the suggestion is not of so much value as
I think it.

WENEDIM.

Downtown Parking.

OUR editorial on "Downtown Park-
ing" in today's issue offers a
suggestion for the relief of congestion during
rush hours that is very practicable.
An ordinance prohibiting parking after
4 p.m. in downtown districts, I believe,
would be effective. This system has been
tried out and found to bring desirable
results in Los Angeles, a city that has
much more traffic than St. Louis. Just
what are the objections, if any, to the
suggestion? MISS RUTH EPSTEIN.

Bus Lines Needed.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.
ST. LOUIS, including the Washington
Heights section, needs the bus lines
in spite of the opposition of the United
Railways and others. Progress demands
that we supply more rapid transportation
and the bus lines seem to be the
only way we will ever get it in this city.
Now, if the bus company pays 3 per
cent of its gross earnings to the city this
amount should be spent on the streets
which the company uses, as these streets
are subject to more wear and tear than
the ordinary street. As regards Washington
avenue, the company should pay a
little more towards the maintenance of
this street as it is not built for heavy
traffic. All the big coal, rock and
delivery trucks in the city seem to use this
street and it will be noted that the
business are not the only heavy traffic it gets.
We ought to want this service back,
as we found it to be very convenient and
reliable. I feel sure that if the company
will make some arrangement by
which it will pay for at least half of the
repairs all opposition will vanish and I
know that passengers will be found waiting
to fill the cars at all hours. A little
more pep for the city will help keep
St. Louis among the large cities of the
country and the bus supplies part of
that necessary transportation pep.

Now we have been doing a lot of talking
and the petitions have been in circulation
(not in the bus company) and quite a number of signatures have been
obtained at the Washington Pharmacy
store. Let's get some results! We want
the service back. Let's make some ar-
rangement with the company so that
we can again enjoy the air while we ride.
Let the opposition remember that we
want the greatest good for the greatest
number. Don't oppose progress, help it.

E. C. A.

WHO GAVE THE PROTECTION?

State Labor Commissioner Heber Nations, whose name has been connected with the protected beer scandal, charges that the whole scandal is a political plot to ruin the Hyde administration and oust his brother, Gus O. Nations, from his position as chief of the field prohibition forces.

The public is not interested in any political plot. Its interest is concentrated on the charge and the evidence that protection has been given to the Griesedieck brewery for the sale of illegal beer. An officer of the Griesedieck brewery has made a confession that he paid money, altogether about \$15,000, for protection. The beer went out from the brewery for weeks and was delivered to saloons and sold. He implicates a State officer as the recipient of the money and the man who pledged and obtained protection.

Protection, however, cannot be given by a State officer. It must be given by someone in authority in the prohibition enforcement department. Who of the prohibition forces were responsible for the actual protection of the Griesedieck brewery pledged by the State officer and obtained by the payment of money? Who got the money?

Whatever political plot there may have been, it may have resulted in the exposure of the crime charged, but had nothing to do with the commission of the crime. The men who committed the crime by giving protection to the brewery for money were responsible for the crime. Who were these men? The only way to settle this question is by legal processes, by thorough investigation and vigorous prosecution of all involved in the crime.

RULES AGAINST HUMAN LIFE.

In two tax-supported hospitals in St. Louis rules are placed higher than humanity. At the city hospital Milton Scott, a war veteran with both hands frozen, was refused admittance because he was not a resident of the city. The Veterans' Hospital turned him away because the injury from which he was suffering was not received in the service. He was penniless and friendless. Walking across the free bridge, he found relief in East St. Louis in the hospital of the county poorhouse. The hands which failed to find charity in St. Louis carried a gun at Chateau-Thierry. The face which turned for help to St. Louis had been partly torn away with shrapnel.

Rules have their place. But should they be allowed, in the case of a hospital, to deny the rights of humanity? Shall our hospitals, supported by public funds, be allowed to fall into a narrow subserviency to rules? Shall men destitute and suffering be left to die in the streets because they do not happen to be residents of St. Louis? Shall they enlist their lives in the country's service only to be turned away by a Government hospital for veterans because the injury of which they are at present perishing did not happen to be received in the service?

The public, we are sure, would not have it so. Contributions are already pouring in to attest that the heartless administrations of the two hospitals named did not represent the public in their cold refusal of mercy. Let us have less of rules in our hospitals and more of charity. Disease and injury do not stop for rules. The two hospitals may consider themselves fortunate that the men they turned away did not perish and that they are not held accountable for sacrificing life to rules.

ROOM FOR CLARENCE SAUNDERS.

Twenty thousand men, women and children of Memphis, Tenn., were guests at the opening of Clarence Saunders' new store, each receiving a carnation, amid great enthusiasm and promises of support for the man who invented the Piggy Wiggly grocery system and came to grief through plumping in Wall street on the proceeds.

As the peculiar and attractive plan of shelving, pigeonholes, arrangement of wares, iceboxes, tags, etc., familiar to Piggy Wiggly customers is covered by patents, Saunders could not copy this but

produced something claimed to be original, the material used being white enamel. But he is already having trouble, an investor named Sklar claiming to have patented this.

The immense throng that greeted Saunders on his new opening proves how such a character is admired by the public, who are always ready to acclaim initiative, originality, and especially pluck that refuses to be downed by adversity. Saunders has announced his intention to start a new string of chain groceries. There should be room for two chains, if they keep up the quality and keep down the prices.

PASS THE REDUCTION.

The President has caught Congress asleep. The legislative branch of our Government, absorbed in the more diverting game of politics and the uprooting of scandal, appears to have quite forgotten its immediate duty to the public in the way of tax relief before the first payments are due on March 15. The House of Representatives, in which the resolution had to be initiated, had given up adoption in time for the March-payment. The objection is now offered that the rules require unanimous consent for immediate action and that this cannot be obtained.

The country will stand behind the President in his appeal. Desired action by Congress would relieve millions of taxpayers of inconvenience and save never-ending complications in the adjustment of installments and refunds. The effort would be a momentary inconvenience to Congress, but delay would mean a heavy load on the machinery of collection in the Treasury Department. The best politics Congress can play before Saturday will be to authorize the uniform reduction of all personal income taxes by 25 per cent.

We are afraid, though, that this festive beer party is not adding to the gaiety of the Nations.

Missourians who would be well informed have to keep one eye on the teapot and the other on the growler.

JUDGE WOODROUGH ON JURY TRIALS.

Sections 21 and 22 of the Volstead law took away the constitutional right of trial by jury in the case of an offender against the act who, having been convicted and duly punished by having his place of business closed, was charged with a new offense. It gave the Judge, under an injunction clause, the power to declare the offender guilty of contempt of court, and to punish him without recourse to a jury trial.

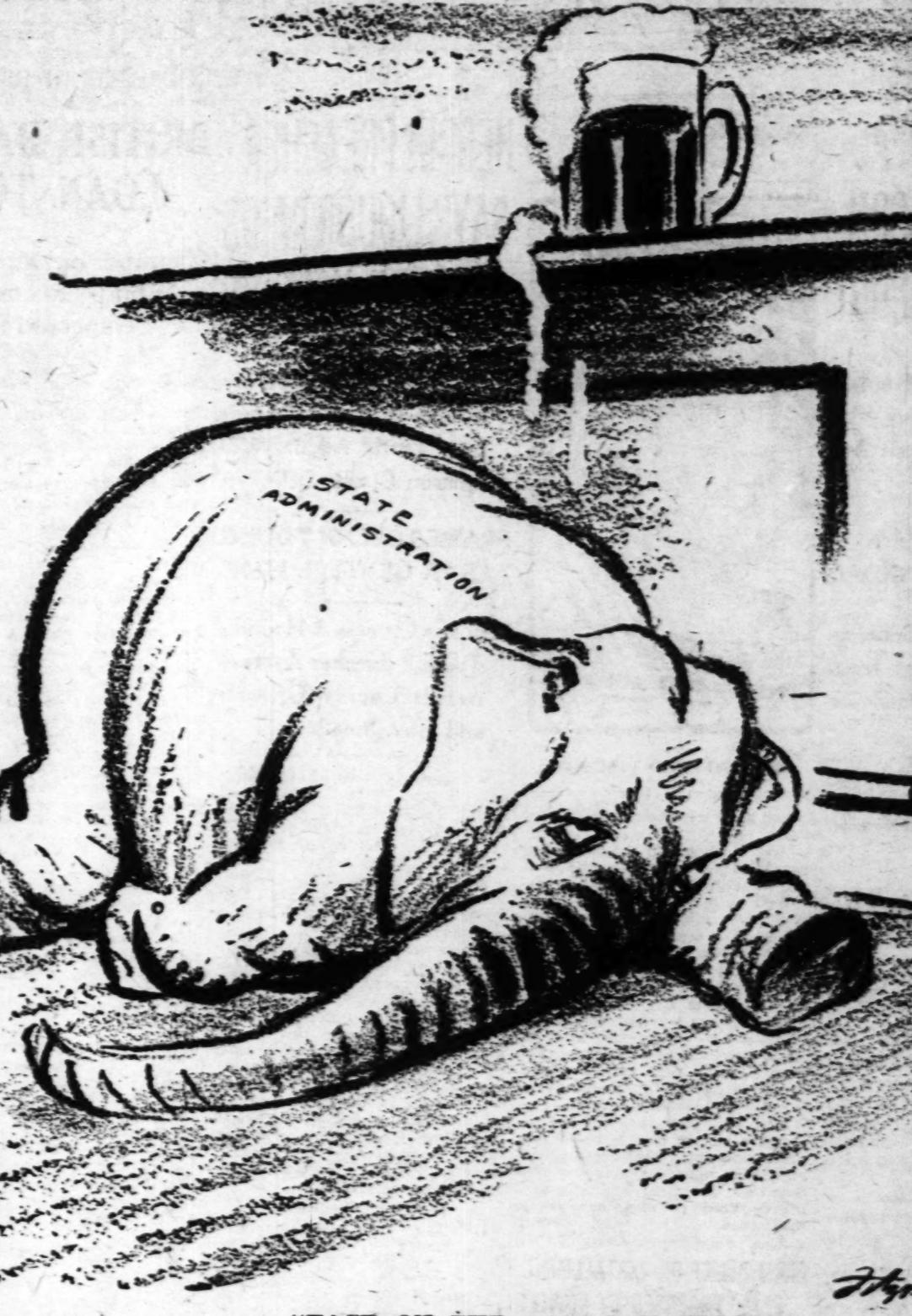
Judge J. W. Woodrough of the Federal Court of the Eastern District of Nebraska pronounces this arbitrary annulment of a citizen's rights unconstitutional, and says: "If to suppress the liquor traffic this power can be conferred upon equity courts, I can see no reason why it could not be used to suppress any crime in the calendar. If it can be so used, the constitutional provision that all crimes shall be heard by juries has no force."

To the prohibitionists or tools of the Anti-Saloon League who drew up and put through the Volstead act, it appeared right and proper to make a distinction between the new crime of breaking a liquor law and all the other crimes on the calendar. This new crime, in their eyes, was so heinous that one who committed it deserved to have his constitutional and other rights snatched from him, lock, stock and barrel. Trial by jury! A murderer should have that right guaranteed. A rapist, an incendiary, a highwayman, a train wrecker, a swindler, a widow and orphans—any sort of criminal—but not a violator of a sumptuary law regulating the manufacture, traffic in and consumption of beverages.

One by one the wrongs of Volsteadism are being exposed. One by one the courts will discover those wrongs and restore to the people their rights under the Constitution. If this particular case goes to the Supreme Court, we fail to see how it can do less than uphold Judge Woodrough's decision. Juries may err, but the right to trial by jury is fundamental and can never be relinquished.

But far from the madding crowd's beeraffled strife Doc Shupp pursues the simple pastoral life.

THE SECOND-HAND CAR.
(From the Chicago Tribune.)



"FACE ON THE BARROOM FLOOR"

JUST A MINUTE

Written for the Post-Dispatch
By CLARK McADAMS

FREE VERSE.

OVER in Indiana, where Ku Klux seems to be doing better just now than anywhere else, they were all gathered out under the stars for the purpose of having their emotions harrowed and burning a fiery cross.

They had the cross with the tinder about it awaiting the torch.

Everybody for miles around was in the vast crowd.

A soul-harrower arose and uttered the tenets of Ku Klux.

No these and no that.

In all the worst spasm of snobbery any people ever had, belied our promise to a world looking for sanctuary and freedom.

In the interval before the torch was applied broad-shouldered young man stepped in between the ehorister and the cross.

He took his coat off and dropped it on the torch.

They kept it from everyone.

Now what do you think of that?

THEODORE TRILSEY.
McADOOIANA.
McAdoo and Doheny.

To Washington went one day.

McAdoo was supposed to spill his line.

McAdoo Doheny the cash would pay.

Doheny copied the fat.

They kept it from everyone.

Now what do you think of that?

MY HEART, SPRING BIRD.
Had I come, like you, from the south on the wing.

And found such wintry weather.

And sailed back there.

On my pinions of down and feather.

But you, birds, stand on.

And chant in the days of our wintry dawn.

Something within you, brave and bold,

Makes you soar above the damps and cold;

To see your joy and to hear your lay;

And to know you have traveled by night and day—

He paused—waiting.

There was a stir of admiration in the audience.

No one came forward.

I guess there ain't anybody better qualified to do this job than I am," the young man continued.

He stepped over to the cross, jerked it out of the ground and flung it to one side.

Then he kicked goal for liberty with the coal-oil can, which set out for the horizon in the zigzag manner of reluctance.

He folded his powerful arms across his mutilated breast and stood looking out over the crowd.

If there is somebody here who thinks we are going to have this orgy and burn the cross, I am waiting for him to come forward and do same," he said.

There was an awkward pause with another and deeper stir of admiration.

No one cared to do same.

The young man turned and picked up his shirt.

"Very well," he said, as he wriggled into it.

Then he picked up his coat and slipped it on.

"Goodnight, folks," he said, and stepped into the crowd, which swiftly dissembled—ashamed.

That closed the incident.

Colorado has declared for Mr. Coolidge, though there is yet to be offered any proof that we can carry the little hills around home.

Charlie Schwab says the oil expose is bad for business. Does he think we ought to have business at any cost?

We can Scream Scream as through a glass darkly.

ANOTHER DESIGN FOR THE LIGHT AT LINDELL CIRCUS.



STRANGE STORY
OF REINCARNATION

Italian Artist Believes Grandmother Came Back as Homeless Girl.

By BEATRICE BASKERVILLE.
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HOME, Feb. 15.—In Turin, that

old Italian city which was once the

capital of the House of Savoy—be-

fore Rome became the capital of

United Italy—lives a painter of

some repute, whose name can

not be Persico. He is still in the

thirties, tall, thin, with an ascetic

face and without those bohemian

attributes of flowing beard, long

hair and doubtfully kept hands

which some painters are supposed

to have.

No Alida Persico has happened a

strange thing: it was told to me

by himself in calm, slow sentences

and a steady gaze of his gray eyes,

the sort of eyes landscape painters

often have.

I had been to see some of his

pictures. He has a simply a large

studio is the chief part of his house,

which looks the Alps with their

shining white summits: the rest

of the house is enough for him

and his one servant, a brother and a sister.

Spiritual About Woman.

The door was opened by a young

woman; her face was hard to

tell, but her face struck me as ex-

traordinary. Not because of phys-

ical beauty; there was a look of

genius seen on the face of any liv-

ing creature. Her dress was very

simple but neat. In a soft voice she

invited me into the studio.

Later this woman came in with

her face and her face impressed me

so deeply that I could not help asking Persico who she was. His man-

ner immediately changed; his frank answers had not prepared me for such evasiveness.

"I don't know," he said, fidgeting

with some sketches; "we call her Ida."

The atmosphere had suddenly

become uncomfortable. I left soon

afterward. A month passed. I had

returned to Rome and forgotten

about the Persico family. One even-

ing in one of those odd little res-

taurants which linger in the Eter-

nal City, I came across the Turin

painter. He explained that he had

come up to Turin for the ex-

hibition of some pictures. He had

joined me at my table and we sat

for a long time. When coffee ap-

peared he looked hard at me with

his clear painter's eyes and said:

"You were taken back when you

came to see my pictures in Turin. About Ida. I think I ought to tell

you the story; perhaps you can ex-

plain it."

Talk Story of "Ida."

He lit a cigarette and began in

low tones.

"We three, brother, sister and

myself were much with our grand-

mother as children. She lived on

the little estate up in the hills in

the Province of Alessandria and

grew the best wine in the neigh-

borhood. I was her favorite; many

a glorious summer have I spent

with the old lady. Before I was

16 she died and the little estate

was sold to me for her modest inhe-

ritance among her family."

I began my narration as painter.

At 20 I was often painted, how

to get two square meals a day, and

my appetite was hardly healthy. My

brother was hard up, too. He had

to teach in his spare time in order

to finish his engineering course;

my sister, poor thing, was a "com-

mon-sense-keeper" to the rich but

poor. The woman who lived in

Turin and had miserly ways.

"I then lived in a studio at the

top of an old house in the pa-

tio. It was little better than an

attic. One bitter night in January

15 years ago now—I had a

strange dream. I saw my grand-

mother as she used to look in

the little house in the mountains.

Her kindly, wrinkled face had an

appealing look. I asked her, in my

dream, who was the matter.

Message From Grandmother.

"Ida," she said with tears in

her voice, "I am very unhappy. I

suffer all the terrible things that

a poor woman whose poverty is ex-

treme can suffer. I am on earth

again. Tomorrow a young woman

will knock at your door and ask to

be taken in. Don't put her off with

a small coin. Take her in and

clothe her."

I remember telling my grand-

mother, though I was not

starting yet, I was not far from it

and could not give a home to any

one else; but her face became

more appealing than before and she

had infinite sadness: "Don't

you see, Aldo, it is your grandmoth-

er who lives again in that por-

tear's earthly frame. If you re-

quest her you reject me and prolong

my torments."

Happy Ever Since.

I woke up then and the dream

became real all that morning.

My brother passed his ex-

amination, and, getting a small job

in a small room in the museum at

Sarajevo. He was interested in stone,

among which the most interesting is a great

stone medallion with portraits in a relief

of the murdered Archduke and Archduchess.

There is also a block of stone on which

the words "June, 1914," stand out in

ominous gold lettering, and the two great metal

crowns with which the monument was sur-

mounted still survive.

The only memorial left is a little group of

plastered-over bullet holes in the house op-

posite the scene of the assassinations. The

monument, after it was taken down, was

stored in a small room in the museum at

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SARAJEVO, WHENCE CAME THE WAR.

From the Living Age.

THE world has had such a bad time

trying to recover from the effects of Sarajevo that it has quite forgotten that fatal

little town—all the world, that is, except

the Serbian Government, which, when it occu-

pied its new territory, demolished the

monument which had been erected to com-

memorate the assassination of the Archduke

Ferdinand.

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Sarajevo, which was the scene of the

assassination, is a dream, too.

It had the way into my studio. It

was bare of food and fuel. I ran

down to one of my chums who

lived in the same street, borrowed

my chum's coat, borrowed

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way Robberies.Albert Bond Lambert, 2 hours
place, was held up at 10
o'clock last night while walking
in front of 4337 Pershing avenue.
He saw a man step from an
automobile and when he produced a
revolver, raised his hands and the
robber took a watch and \$40 in
cash.

Police Officer's Son Robbed.

Police Lieutenant Albert Helm-
holtz was in his kitchen at 2454
Ohio avenue at 10:30 o'clock wait-
ing for his son to drive up the
alley and take him to work. At the
same time the son, Leroy Helm-
holtz of 3427 South Jefferson avenue,
was directly behind the house,
being robbed by two men.Young Helmholz had driven
down the alley and had locked his
machine when the old Ford automo-
bile pulled up alongside and two
men jumped out. They searched
him and, finding no money, took
his watch, chain and tie pin. Helm-
holtz called his father as the men
departed, and together they
searched the neighborhood, but
without finding the men.A People's motorist waiting at
the Carondelet Park terminus of
the Grand boulevard line was held
up by two men at 11 o'clock. Con-
ductor Edward Findley and Chauffeur
Bernard Oestercher were alone in the bus. Findley lost
\$28.50, most of which was fares.

Pair in Auto Held Up.

Albert H. Parkinson of 5034 Maple
avenue, and Miss Jean Brough,
5085 Claxton avenue, were seated in
Parkinson's automobile in front of
her home last midnight, when
two men in an automobile, with
revolver, ordered them out. They
searched Parkinson and took \$8 in
cash.William Link, driver for Lung-
stras Diving and Cleaning Co., was
held up at 524 Alabama avenue in
the afternoon and robbed of \$40.Alfred Mitchell, chauffeur for Fa-
mous & Barr, lost \$25 to a man
who boarded his truck at Minne-
sota and Expenditure avenues.Mike Jankovitz, 44, of 3507 North
Broadway, went to city hospital
yesterday with three fractured
ribs and scalp wounds. He said
he was strong-minded Sunday
night by the time in the hallway
of his home, beaten and robbed of
\$20. He was too ill to report it
before he said.The police arrested 85 persons
last night.TRUE LIFE STORY OF
WOODROW WILSON

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the tariff question. Although Mr.
Reynolds was a member of Congress
and attacked Mr. Wilson's candi-
dacy in the days prior to the
Baltimore convention, Woodrow
Wilson forgave that opposition and
accepted the estimate which so
many people gave him of the busi-
ness ability of William C. Redfield.During the campaign at Sea Girt,
Mr. Wilson had occasion to confer
frequently with Mr. Redfield and
found him so familiar with the
tariff question that he came to re-
spect his judgment on it very highly.Another intimate friend of Mr.
Wilson who felt that he should be
Attorney-General was A. Mitchell
Palmer of Pennsylvania, the floor
leader of the Wilson forces in the
Baltimore convention. Mr. Wilson
did not think Mr. Palmer was as
brilliant a lawyer as James C. Mc-
Reynolds whom he had fixed upon
as his choice for Attorney-General.

McReynolds' Achievements.

Mr. McReynolds owed his ap-
pointment to his political in-
fluence but his achievements.Mr. McReynolds had appeared in
the Federal courts under Judge Will-
iam Howard Taft and when the
latter became President, Attorney-General Wickesham was in need
of a special Attorney-General to
prosecute the tobacco cases. Presi-
dent Taft suggested that Mr. Mc-
Reynolds had made a very good
impression upon him in early days.Mr. McReynolds became Assistant
Attorney-General of the United
States and when the Supreme Court
rendered its opinion saying the tobacco
combine was a "bad trust," Mr.
McReynolds issued a writ of certiorari.President Taft suggested that Mr. Mc-
Reynolds fit to find an Attorney-General
for the tobacco cases.Mr. McReynolds was a Tennessee
Democrat and qualified to take
the work in the Department
of Justice. Mr. Wilson always
had James C. McReynolds in high
esteem as a lawyer and subsequently
appointed him to the Supreme
Court of the United States.Tomorrow's chapter tells of
what Mr. Wilson thought of his
own Cabinet.

Hartville Votes Lighting Bonds.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

HARTSVILLE, Mo., March 12.

At the special city election held
here yesterday, electric light-bonds
were authorized by a vote of more
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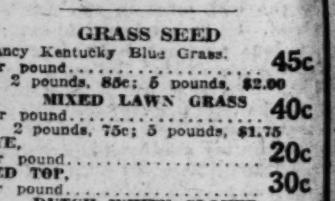
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2 pounds..... \$0.80
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MIXED LAWN GRASS

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NEW ORDINANCE FOR ABATEMENT OF SMOKE FRAMED

Commissioner and Eight Inspectors Provided For in Measure Likely to Be Offered Friday.

SEPARATE DIVISION FOR WORK CREATED

Three Mechanical Engineers to Constitute Board Passing on All Cases Before Prosecution Is Begun.

A new smoke abatement ordinance, providing for a commission and eight inspectors to enforce it and making them a part of the Department of Public Safety, will probably be reported to the Board of Aldermen Friday by the Board's Public Safety Committee. The measure was agreed on yesterday by the Board of Estimate and Appropriation, in conference with the Public safety committee and representatives of business bodies.

The present smoke inspection department is under the division of boilers and elevators of the Department of Public Safety, and some of those interested in smoke abatement have complained that the branch has been treated "like a child." It has been proposed to create a new smoke abatement office, it should be made independent of the city departments, but Mayor Kiel objected to this, saying he would "get all the heat in the form of complaints, if they were done."

Made Department Division.

It was also proposed that it be made part of the Department of Public Utilities, but this decision was postponed yesterday to make it a division under the Department of Public Safety, co-ordinate with the Fire Department, the building and boiler inspection divisions.

The commissioner in charge will receive a salary of \$4000 a year, eight inspectors \$175 a month, a clerk \$150 and a stenographer \$125.

It was provided that a board of three mechanical engineers shall be named, and that before prosecution begins, this board shall decide whether, in that case, smoke abatement is practicable. The board is to meet twice a month, and members will receive \$10 a meeting.

Profits for Fines.

One part of the measure was suggested by A. J. Davis, representing the manufacturers. Davis also suggested that the ordinance should require only new smoke prevention devices in new installations. He said this would accomplish the desired result within 15 years, and the many small manufacturers cannot afford to install prevention devices immediately. This suggestion was rejected. John H. Gundlach and other antismoke workers objected to it.

The Mayor said he could not see how the brick industry could be operated without smoke, and said strict enforcement of the law would give that industry out of the city. The measure provides a fine of \$250 to \$500 for violation.

Mine Gives Up 127 Bodies.

By the Associated Press. CASTLE GATE, Utah, March 12.—A small fire is hindering rescue work in the Utah Coal Mine No. 2, officers stated today. Of the 173 men entombed by the explosion Saturday, 127 bodies had been recovered.

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Highburn, gas, sour stomach relieved quickly by Haley's Magnesia-Oil

If your stomach is easily upset; if you suffer with indigestion, headaches, heartburn, dizzy spells, hiccoughs, you can depend on it—Acidosis is the cause of the trouble is to blame.

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for [constipation]
[cold stomach]

CHICAGO WOMAN JUDGE WHO IS HERE



MISS MARY BARTHELME

PRAISES ST. LOUIS' METHOD OF HANDLING DELINQUENTS

Judge Mary Barthelme of Chicago Approves Plan of Sending Children to Own Homes.

Miss Mary Barthelme, Judge of the Juvenile Court in Chicago, after watching the handling of the Juvenile Court docket here today, said she was most favorably impressed with the St. Louis system of sending delinquents to their own homes to be brought up under supervision of a Probation Officer, rather than committing them to some city institution.

"We try to do that as much as possible in Chicago, too," she said, "but we find so many cases that the parents of such children are unfit, mentally or morally, to properly raise their children. It is much better to have the children cared for by their own parents than to turn them into city institutions."

Judge Barthelme said her viewpoint on the disposition of wards of the Juvenile Court coincides with that of Judge Ossing. She said Chicago's greatest problem concerning juvenile offenders was the handling of feeble-minded children, for which there is a lack of facilities. Judge Barthelme was the guest of the League of Women Voters at a luncheon today at Hotel Statler.

MAN, WIFE AND ANOTHER WOMAN MURDERED IN HOME

Couple Shot and the Other is Slain With Adz, Apparently by a Maniac.

By the Associated Press.

LINDEN, N. Y., March 12.—Three persons, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Whaley and Mrs. Mabel Morse, old residents of this village 10 miles south of Batavia, were slain last night, apparently by a maniac. Mr. and Mrs. Whaley were shot dead and Mrs. Morse was beaten to death with the handle of an adz.

The crime in many respects is similar to the slaying here in October, 1922, of Miss Frances Kimball, a spinster, who was beaten to death in the cellar of her home where she lived alone. This crime was never solved. Mr. and Mrs. Whaley lived alone about five miles from the village store. Whaley was a section foreman. A grocery boy, finding the doors of the house locked, raised a kitchen window and was met by a rush of smoke. He called neighbors and they broke open the rear door. In a bedroom on the ground floor, they found three bodies piled on the floor. Over them had been thrown rag rugs in which there was a smoldering blaze. Oil had been poured on the carpets and had not been enough to cause the blaze to spread rapidly.

An overturned chair and a pitcher of milk upset on the table which had been prepared for the evening meal indicated that the Whaleys had been killed in the kitchen and their bodies dragged to the bedroom. Otherwise the furniture of the place had not been disturbed.

Mrs. Morse, the wife of a village grocer, went to the house to get milk with which Whaley supplied the store.

ESTATE OF FRED S. CHARLOT IS INVENTORIED AT \$835,116

Property of Man Who Ended Life Includes \$723,750 in Stock of Oscar Cooperage Co.

An inventory of the estate of Fred S. Charlot, who killed himself with morphine in a Pullman station Feb. 3, filed in Probate Court at Clayton today, values his estate at \$835,116.

This includes stock of the Oscar

Cooperage & Lumber Co., which went into receivership under his presidency. Listed at its par value, to the amount of \$723,750. Other items are: \$23,600 in bonds of the Cairo, Truman & Southern Railroad Co., \$84 cash in bank, \$100 in a residence at 6941 Princeton ave., University City. Oil and other stocks held to be worthless, with total par value of \$12,170, are listed.

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Austria Has Woman Lawyer.
By the Associated Press
VIENNA, March 12.—Francesca
vocate of woman suffrage claims
the distinction of being the first
woman to be admitted to practice
law in Austria. Completing her
university course, she studied law
in her father's office and then
passed the examination administered
to her to practice.

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Commissioner Nations' statement was by inference a denial of most of the statements in the confession made by Raymond B. Griesedieck, secretary-treasurer of the Griesedieck Brewery and con-

tinued the charge that the disclosures were the result of a political plot to embarrass the Hyde administration and to bring about the removal of office of Gus Nations. Heber Nations' statement follows:

"I have completed an extensive investigation of the 'beer protection rumor' which reveals beyond dispute the most vicious political plot in Missouri history.

"Its plan was to remove Gus Nations as real head of the Federal prohibition forces in Missouri, to ruin the Republican State administration, and incidentally to place its sponsors in complete control of the prohibition enforcement machinery in this State.

"The chief conspirators and beneficiaries of this plot are L. F. De Hart, Federal Prohibition Director in Missouri; E. Mont Relyea, who secured De Hart's appointment from President Harding as a personal favor; Henry L. (Hank) Weeke, gentleman of leisure, and E. L. (Liz) Morse of Veteran Hospital fame and former boss of the Third Congressional District.

"Would Have Found No Beer."

"That these men have been in close communion with David Nolan and the intelligence unit sent to investigate the beer rumor, will demonstrate beyond doubt the accuracy of the statement.

"I also will show that if Mr. Nolan ever had stayed the raid he says he was preparing to launch against the Griesedieck Brewery he would have found no beer and the brewery would have been running to the gutters.

"St. Louis newspapers said Mr. Nolan asked Gov. Hyde for permission to lay the results of his 'probe' before the Governor in my presence. I immediately telephoned the Governor and urged acceptance of the proposal. Mr. Nolan then issued a statement that my name had not been mentioned in any connection with that raid, nothing to say to that. He must have been in a storm cellar while my name and photograph adorned all the front pages of the newspapers to the consternation of my family and friends.

Says He Gave Brother Tip.

"If Mr. Nolan's investigation has disclosed anything to him, it has revealed that I gave my brother the tip on which the Griesedieck Brewery was put under constant surveillance.

"I gave him the information in the presence of witnesses more than a month before the raid, and the records of his office, and he gave it to the police.

"Mr. Nolan disclosed that the Griesedieck Brewery was under constant surveillance night and day by picked men of my brother's office from the day they received that information until the hour of the raid.

"Mr. Nolan has told all the rumors of his 'probe' disclosed to a newspaper man on destroying my brother, but apparently he did not pass these facts along.

"Mr. Nolan knows that the rules of his department forbade giving out of information developed, much less wild rumors, he hears, yet this newspaper has known every telephone conversation that his men listened to and some that they didn't, and has published every rumor he heard.

"He gave them information on which they based a story today that I had a joint office in Kansas City with another office where his men claim to have tapped the telephone. That is as false as all the rest of their statements. My only office in Kansas City is at 454 Delaware street and is not occupied jointly with any other office. It is more than a mile from the place named.

Sign of Alleged Plot.

"The story of this political galaxie I have named figured in this bid to wreck the State administration and seize control of the Federal enforcement machinery is a long one, but full of thrills and not only can be proved, but the principals will not even deny the facts.

"Upon the resignation of W. H. Allen, prohibition director, 'Liz' Morse selected De Hart for his successor. E. Mont Relyea, who with our political influence in Missouri but is a cousin of Mrs. Harding, and an original Harding supporter in Missouri, went to Washington to get Mrs. Morse's man appointed and succeeded in getting an executive order from the President for that purpose through all of the law enforcement organizations in Missouri protested the appointment and urged my brother to the place.

"He then rushed back to Missouri before the appointment was made, called my brother to the Jefferson Hotel, told him De Hart was to be appointed over the protest of Commissioner Haynes, and said:

"'Till tell you how you're going to run the department. I will have you as group chief at St. Louis.

"There is a job in Kansas City and I am going to put my private secretary in the office.'

"'Liz' said: 'Governor, you may do all the rest of it, but I won't work under you.'

Appointment of De Hart.

"Commissioner Haynes called Gus and De Hart to Washington, appointed De Hart director in accordance with President Harding's orders, but named Gus field director and legal adviser.

"E. Mont Relyea immediately asked the appointment of his secretary to the position of group chief at Kansas City. Gus refused

to make the appointment. Relyea and Relyea were furious. De Hart refused to go to Kansas City, as was required under the rules, and Gus was left for months with the responsibility of the enforcement work and only 12 men out of a quota of 22 do it.

"Maj. Haynes sent his private secretary to Missouri to look into

the situation and the ranks were filled up.

"About the same time Relyea demanded the appointment of his

secretary as group chief at Kansas City. Hank Weeke asked for the appointment of a friend for

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BILL FOR BUILDINGS 250 FEET HIGH SIGNED

Maximum to Apply to Structures Facing Three Streets—206-Foot Limit for Hotels.

Mayor Kiel today signed the bill fixing the height limit for buildings at 206 feet, in the case of hotels, office, mercantile and manufacturing buildings, and 250 feet where the building faces three streets. For other buildings, including apartment houses, including the height limit is 120 feet. The bill goes into effect in 30 days.

The zoning ordinance, which fixed different height limits in different parts of the city, made 155 feet the maximum. Members of the City Plan Commission, who hold that the height provisions of the zoning laws are still in effect, contend the Mayor not to sign the present measure.

The zoning ordinance was declared unconstitutional by the Supreme Court, but the question involved was that of use of land, and the members of the Commission hold that the height and area restrictions were not affected. The new measure, in any case, will supersede the height restrictions of the zoning ordinance.

Barney P. Newell, engineer of the City Plan Commission, and E. J. Russell, chairman of the Commission, in urging the Mayor to veto the measure, argued that high buildings were the chief cause of congestion in the downtown district, and the chief factor in creating a serious traffic problem. They urged that he should adhere to the principles of the zoning ordinance, and expressed the view that he had condemned himself to doing so.

The Mayor's office collected figures as to height limits in other cities, while he had the bill under consideration. The returns of this inquiry showed that Chicago had a limit of 260 feet, Cleveland 250 feet, Philadelphia, San Francisco and Cincinnati no limit; New York a limit of twice the street width, and Buffalo a limit of four times the frontage.

"The city has lost buildings by the height restrictions of the zoning law," the Mayor said today. "I have handicapped the city commercially. I think I have done what is best for the city."

The bill was prepared by Director McElroy of the Department of Public Safety. He has acted on the theory that the former height restriction was abolished by the decision in the zoning law case, and that unless a new measure were enacted, the city would be without any legal restriction on height of buildings.

The height of the Railway Express Building, highest of St. Louis office buildings, is 250 feet, the same as the limit established in the new ordinance for new structures facing on three streets.

FILM ACTRESS GETS 10-YEAR SENTENCE FOR WORK AS SPY

Correspondence of the Associated Press.
LIPZIG, Feb. 13.—Alvina Brus, the film actress spy, who was recently sentenced to prison for 10 years because of her activities on behalf of the French during the war, came to grief through her diary.

The woman worked for the French in Dusseldorf, Aachen and Nice. Her beauty made it possible for her to attract many men and the diary, which proved her undoing, showed that she frequently torn between many love affairs and had great difficulty in controlling her heart. With her regular childishness she recorded her emotions as well as the facts concerning her spy work in this diary, which fell into the hands of German officers.

She worked much of the time with a German medical student, who was also sentenced to prison for complicity in her espionage for which the evidence showed the woman received \$1000 a month. She also involved another medical student in her work, but the two women fought about the woman and the one who lost out managed to escape from her clutches before he was hopelessly entangled in her career of espionage.

Prominent French diplomats and many officers of various armies are mentioned in the diary among the men who succumbed to her charms.

SUTCLIFFE SENTENCED TO SIX MONTHS FOR MANSLAUGHTER

Former St. Louisian, Accused of Having Bogus Diploma, Operated on Veteran in Connecticut.

HARTFORD, Conn., March 12.—George M. Sutcliffe of Unionville, who pleaded no contest when he was arraigned in Superior Court here yesterday on a charge of manslaughter in connection with the death of Albert Hoody of Farmington, last May, was sentenced by Judge William M. Malt to six months in jail.

The basis of the charge against Sutcliffe was that on Aug. 25, 1923, he gave to Hoody, a World War veteran, an overdose of an anesthetic while attempting to amputate a finger. Hoody died while being operated on.

Sutcliffe had a medical college diploma which he obtained at St. Louis, Mo., and it has been charged that the diploma was based on fraudulent credits. He testified last December before the extraordinary grand jury which conducted an investigation in Missouri and later his license to practice in Connecticut was revoked.

SENTI WILL SUCCEED HAID AS COUNSELLOR

Mayor Announces Associate to City Official Will Take Over Office March 31.

Mayor Kiel announced today that Oliver G. Senti, first Associate City Counsellor, will be appointed City Counsellor to succeed George F. Haid, who has resigned to enter private business. Haid's resignation will become effective March 31, whereupon Senti will take the office.

Senti is 48 years old and lives with his family at 4529 Junius street. He has been first Associate to City Counsellor Haid about two years and has been in the City Counsellor's office since 1916. He was admitted to the bar in 1902 but did not begin the practice of law until 1912. Prior to 1912 he was a chief clerk in the department of weights of the Merchants' Exchange.

Haid, the retiring City Counsellor, tendered his resignation yesterday to Mayor Kiel with the announcement that he desired to enter private business, as vice president of the Victor Motors, Inc., truck manufacturer of which he is a stockholder. He was appointed City Counsellor Oct. 1, 1922, and prior to that time was first associate to City Counsellor Caufield.

The office of City Counsellor pays a salary of \$5000 a year.

HEBER NATIONS SAYS HIS TIP CAUSED GRIESEDIECK RAID

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Group chief in St. Louis. The man suggested was a very capable young Republican, but my brother thought it best not to appoint to that pivotal position any man who might be under obligations to Mr. Weekes, who had been denied citizenship because of moral turpitude.

Assails Hank Weekes.

"Weekes immediately began circulating reports that a number of Republican politicians and officials, including me, were selling protection to breweries through my brother's office. He boasted to a number of reputable citizens that he would 'get Gus Nations' job.'

"Shortly after this Gus' men found, raided and destroyed a number of breweries, still captured to Weekes' brother, Frank. It was the largest still ever captured here and probably cost \$40,000.

"Weekes formed a close alliance with 'Lly' Morse, another deadly political enemy of the Hyde administration. Weekes told Morse's friend, De Hart, the bear protection story and De Hart filed it formally in Washington, after relating all of the sordid details of Weekes' story. De Hart closed the letter to Commissioner Hayes like this: 'I find no evidence to corroborate this story. I get my information from Hank Weekes, a professional politician, but a square, honest man.'

"Mai. Hayes demanded a quick investigation and an exoneration of Gus or the substantiation of the report.

"After a preliminary examination had revealed nothing, Mr. Nolan came on the scene. Shortly

thereafter, reliable information reached that the Griesedieck Brewery was making beer. Acting upon the information I convened the men of my brother's men, watched the brewery constantly until they caught it at work and closed it, arresting everybody at work there.

About Raid on Brewery.

"Now about the Nations' raid and the proposed Nolan raid on the Griesedieck Brewery. Gus and his men got to the brewery at 9:25 in the morning. They caught a truckload of beer going out and 300 cases still in the brewery, which 90 cases already were sealed and cases were still on the conveyor belt on the conveyor. The beer was all bottled. If each man could fill a case in five minutes with bottles, which is ample time, the beer all would have been gone and the premises clear before 10 o'clock.

"At 11:05 Nolan came

WAR RECORD OF CLAIMANT NOT FOUND

Legion Officials Get Report on Man in St. Clair County Hospital With Frozen Hands.

Milton Scott, the man now in the St. Clair County Farm Hospital with frozen hands after being refused aid here, has no war record that Red Cross and army officials have been able to determine. It is stated in a circular letter received by American League officials in East St. Louis and the Red Cross offices at Belleville from the Central Division of the Red Cross at Chicago.

The letter declares that Scott, or Richardson, as it is said he has sometimes been known, has been soliciting aid since 1912 for injuries, including the loss of his nose, which he says were suffered in the war.

"The Veterans' Bureau at Minneapolis, from where he says he once drew compensation, has written it has no knowledge of the man. Because of these disclosures, the American Legion and the Belleville Red Cross have decided they can advance no organization funds to Scott unless it is established that he saw army service.

Superintendent L. H. Howard of the County Farm at Belleville, feels differently, however. "We will continue to take care of him and give him the same treatment as if he was an army colonel," says Howard.

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Grieser, in the pending "professor beer" inquiry. Nations is a member of Hamilton Avenue Christian Church, and the Christians ministers held a special meeting yesterday at Dover Place Church, which were wholly favorable to Nations in whom the ministers expressed full confidence. The committee named consists of the Rev. George A. Campbell of Union Avenue Church, the Rev. G. M. Anderson of Maplewood, and the Rev. W. G. Johnston of Lillian Avenue Church.

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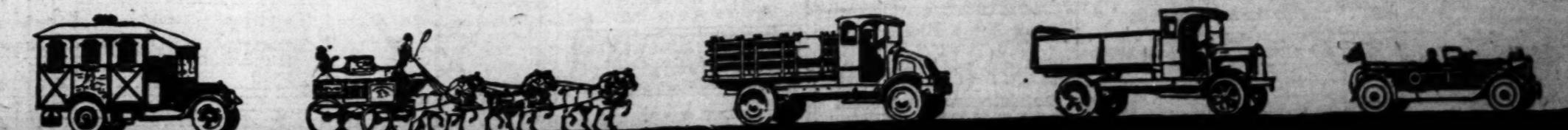
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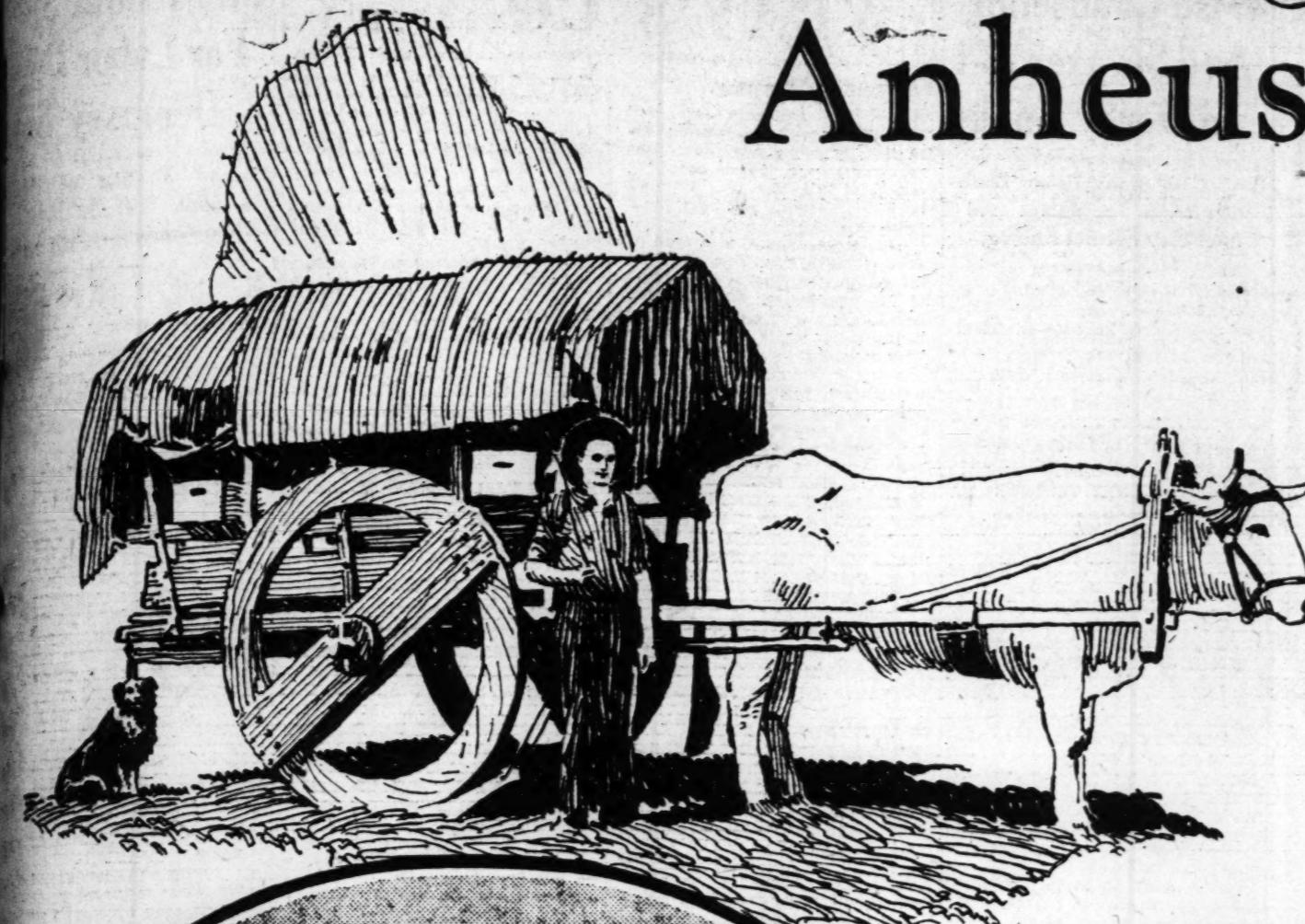
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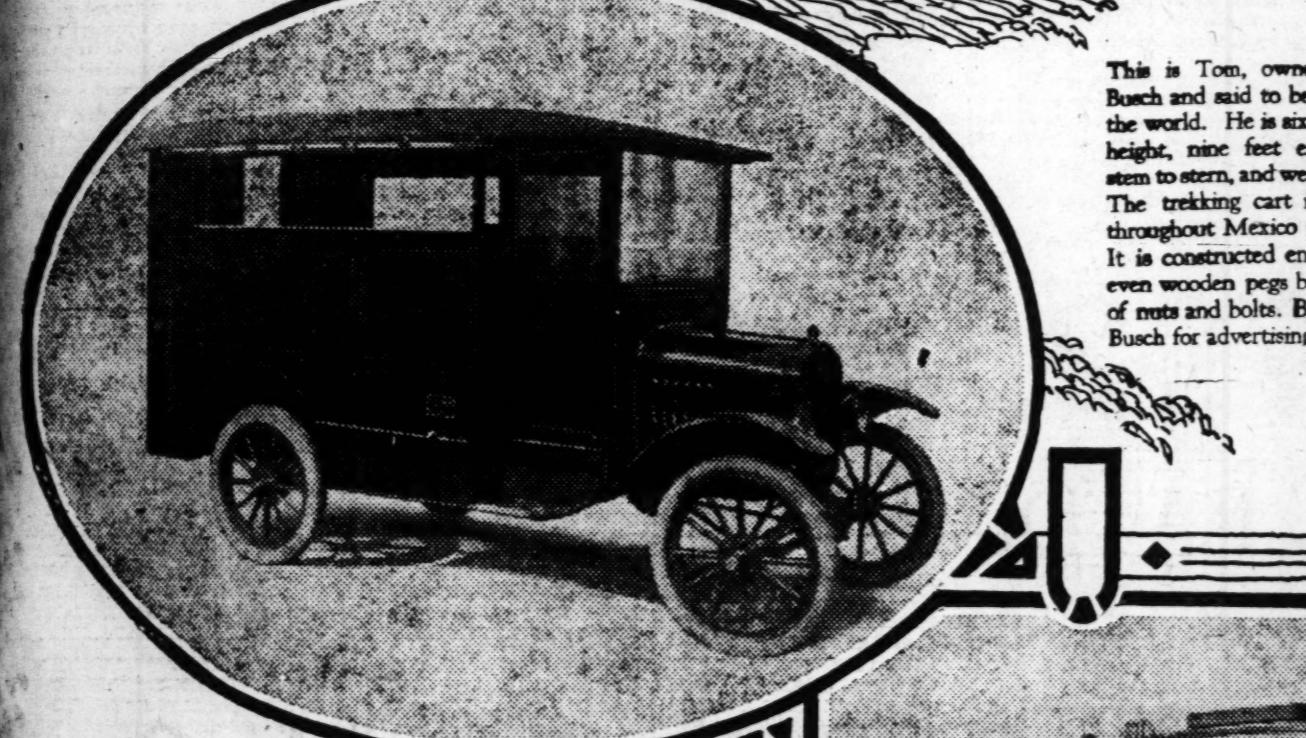
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Anheuser-Busch Bodies



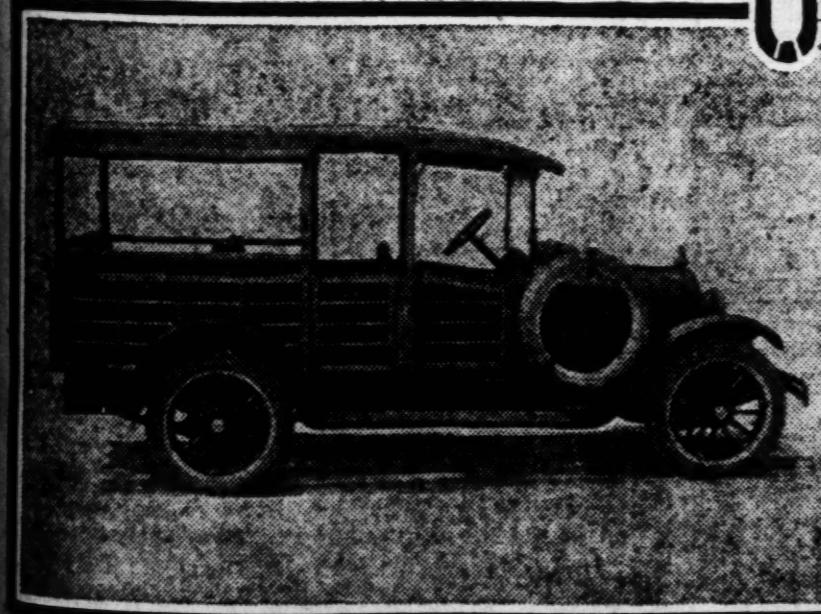
This is Tom, owned by Anheuser-Busch and said to be the largest ox in the world. He is six feet six inches in height, nine feet eight inches from stem to stern, and weighs 3,000 pounds. The trekking cart is the type used throughout Mexico in primitive days. It is constructed entirely of wood—even wooden pegs being used in place of nuts and bolts. Built by Anheuser-Busch for advertising purposes.



The Lamstead Kampkar body weighs less than a Ford Sedan, yet can be quickly converted into a restful, convenient camp—anywhere! Provides ample seating room for six. Equipped with two wide, comfortable beds, six rain and dust-proof lockers, compartments for water container, refrigerator, folding table, cooking and table utensils. Ideal for open-air honeymoon tours.



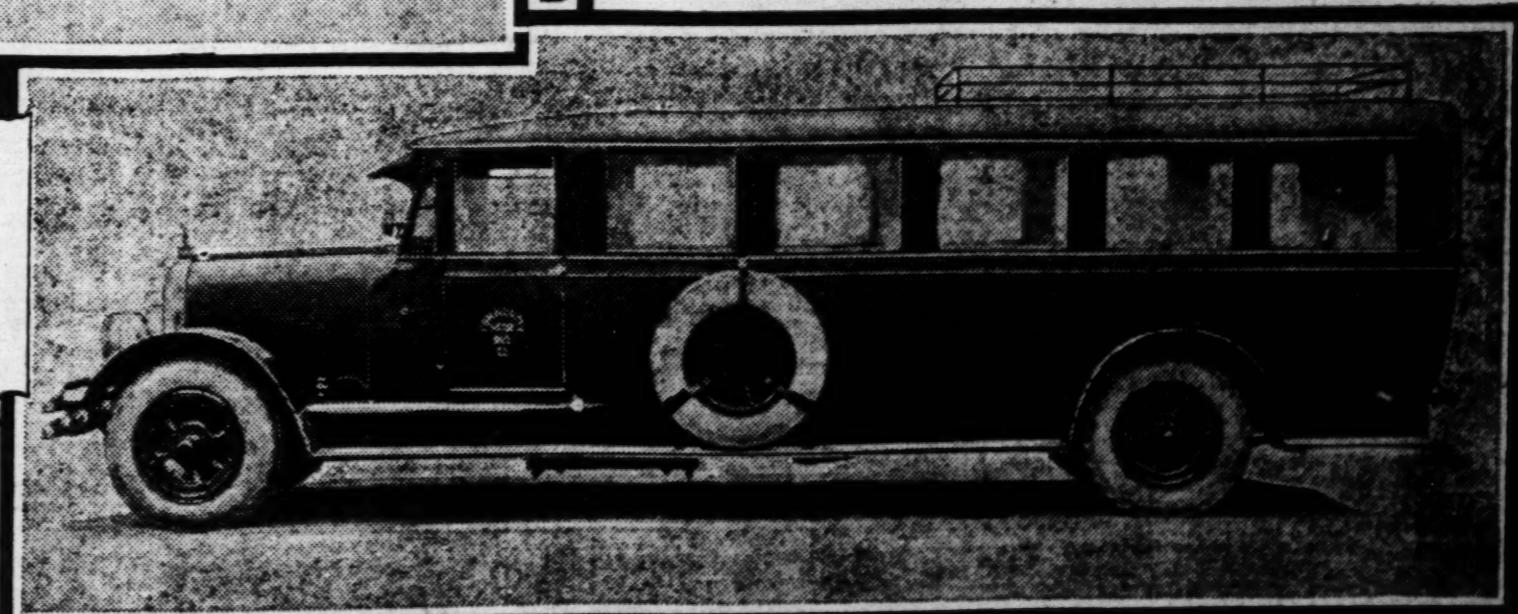
The truck pictured above is an A-B-C Refrigerator Truck Body with a one-piece, seamless bottom, an exclusive Anheuser-Busch feature which prevents tank leaks from vibration. This body offers exceptional ice and salt economy. Now in general use by manufacturers of perishable products.



The Rancher, a Busch-built body for country clubs, suburban and country homes, can be driven through parks where commercial trucks can't go. Seats eight passengers—plenty of room for concealed luggage of any description, and golf bags and other sporting paraphernalia. The compact equipment of this body is ideally suited to the uses of hunters and fishermen.



Busch-built armored trucks like this one provide protection for cashiers, bank messengers, etc., and assure safe transportation of large sums from one place to another, regardless of the depredations of pay-roll bandits.



Busch-built bus bodies like this one are used for short passenger hauls where train facilities are inadequate. Motor bus companies are finding them as durable and economical as they are distinctive in appearance.

ANHEUSER-BUSCH St. Louis

The Net Prophets Predict Tilden Will Not Play at Paris; but Bill Is Too Strong for the Net Profits

Sisler Names Team for First Game With Mobile; Will Be On First Himself, Rice at Third

Infected Finger May Interfere With Plan to Try Rice at the Hot Corner — Manager Thinks Browns' Reserve Strength Better Than in Past Years.

By J. Roy Stockton,
Of the Post-Dispatch Sport Staff.

MOBILE, Ala., March 12.—George Sisler will be at first base, Sunday afternoon, when the Browns oppose the Mobile Bears in the first exhibition game of the season. The regular outfit will be on duty, and the men who start in the inner line of defense will be the men who Sisler wants to see form the regular infield. Marty McManus will perform at second base, Walter Gerber at short and Harry Rice at third base.

Severide probably will be behind the bat and two or three pitchers will share the afternoon's work. Rice's appearance at third depends on whether an infected finger hinders between now and Sunday. Trainer Brammer took Rice to a surgeon last night to have the finger lanced, but it is hoped that the cut will heal by Sunday. If Rice is unable to play, any one of the other four candidates for the position may start and it is probably that more than one man will appear at the position, regardless of who starts.

Third Sackers All Look Good.

Sisler said the five third-base candidates were all so promising that those who failed in the battle for the regular job probably would be retained as utility infielders.

There must be a man available to take the place of McManus or Gerber if either should be injured.

"That's where our team is stronger than last year or even 1922," said Sisler, discussing his reserves. "We have a good group of good reserve men for the outfield or infield, better pinch hitters and better emergency baserunners than we had in 1922 or 1923. In those years the Browns were sadly lacking in reserves."

"It is certain also that we will be stronger in the outfield. I like the way Bennett fields and runs and believe he will be a big help to us. Also I expect Joe Evans to be an invaluable asset."

The Mystery of Joe Evans.

There is something mysterious about the way Evans talked himself into being given his unconditional release at Washington. Sisler disclosed yesterday that he had tried all winter to obtain Evans from Washington, but could not come to terms with the Senators. Then Joe was released and signed without the necessity of putting on a purchase price.

Evans does not look like he is "through" as a ballplayer. He still hits the ball hard, can run like a deer and is regarded as a smart player. He has not reached a point in his training where it can be determined whether he can throw. Cold weather yesterday interfered with plans for a practice game and the afternoon was devoted in large part to batting practice, with the pitcher, of course, being their daily turn of the mound.

First the youngsters batted and then the veterans. While the younger men were bunting Sisler had his infield regulars in the field, with Schlebner and himself alternating at short. The veterans, including George, has started the training of Schlebner. While it is plain that George intends or hopes to start the season at his old position, he is not giving any chances and will devote more time to improving Schlebner's form.

Tuffy Tyrrell, the catcher picked up by Sisler in California, has recovered from the shoulder injury and is back in the game. He hits the ball hard in batting practice. He is still favoring the throwing arm, but it is easy to see why he attracted the attention of Sisler. He has a good arm, though young pitchers and undoubtedly, the Browns will tie a string to him when they send him out. He is built when they send him out. He is built along the lines of the gangling Black cowboy.

The young pitchers in camp look better every day. Sisler likes Winkard, Wilson and Grant.

Bayne Must "Get Busy."

Young William Bayne, after four years in the big leagues, during which he has won about a dozen games, has been ordered to get himself, has been ordered to get dissatisfied, get out of the rut or prepare for a trip to the minors. Bayne has all the stuff. The world and this year appears to be taking things seriously. Sisler must have taken out the time tables and Bill that he meant business.

FORTY-EIGHT TEAMS ENTER WASHINGTON U. BASKETBALL TOURNAMENT

So great was the response to Washington University's invitation to high school basketball teams to compete in the Mississippi Valley championship tournament that it has been decided to add two more teams for the meet which opens tomorrow afternoon. Forty-eight teams will enter this year, as compared with the 27 first year, 1921.

Play will open tomorrow at 1 p.m. at Francis Gymnasium at the Washington campus and at Howard Gymnasium at Principia Academy. Last year's champion, Mount Carmel, Ill., was entered but in injuries sustained in a district tournament last Saturday necessitated withdrawal.

Games will be played Thursday, Friday, Saturday and Monday.

Chicago School Meet.

CHICAGO, March 12.—The University's twentieth annual interscholastic track and field meet, open to the high schools and academies of the nation, will be held at St. Louis Park. It will be announced tonight. The meet, which drew 700 schoolboy athletes from all parts of the country,

Greenleaf to Play P. NATALIE TOMORROW

Ralph Greenleaf, national pocket billiard champion, will make his first appearance in the year in St. Louis tomorrow afternoon when he opens a series of four games with Pasquale Natalie at Arata's parlors.

Natalie is the only man who has won three games out of a series of four years. He accomplished this feat recently at Philadelphia. Natalie has remained among the leaders ever since, but his recent injuries sustained in a district tournament last Saturday necessitated playing fine billiards.

Two matches will be played Thursday and two Friday, at 2 p.m. and 8 p.m.

A Burmese Athlete.

Dave Hla, a Burmese, is believed to be the only man of his nationality ever to have made a mark for himself in American college athletics. He is a student at Denison University at Granville, O., and follows basketball, baseball and football.

Yale's Heavyweight "Comer"



JAMES JEREMIAH WADSWORTH,

Son of U. S. Senator James W. Wadsworth Jr. of New York. He is 6 feet 3 inches tall. Although in his freshman year, he already has made a name for himself, and is considered the best heavyweight in school. He weighs 177 pounds and is not of age.

Leacocks Lose to Olympics, 42 to 31

San Francisco Team Eliminates St. Louis Five From Basketball Tourney.

Rudi Meyer Drops to Fifth Place When Chicagoan Rolls 707 Total.

By the Associated Press.

CHICAGO, March 12.—Chicago bowlers are holding 18 places in all the events, except that doubles of the American Bowling Congress tournament here, and are hopeful of taking first place in some of the competitions which since 1919 have gone to other cities.

Frank Kair, leading the singles with a world's record total of 732, is counted on to weather the competition.

With Chicagoans in the majority, entries for today's singles and doubles include teams from Rockford and Lake Zurich, Ill.; Stoughton and Antigo, Wis.; Diversville, La., and Hammond, Ind.

Competition in the five-man events today will be among bowlers from Chillicothe, Waukegan and Rockford, Ill.; Milwaukee and Fond du Lac, Wis.; Bayside, Wis.; Cedar Rapids, Iowa; and Cedar Rapids, Iowa.

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WOLIDGE ORDERS INQUIRY OF DRY ENFORCEMENT AT CAPITAL

Haynes Asked for Basis of Charges
That Washington Is the "Wettest City."

By the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, March 12.—An effort to settle the question of the effectiveness of prohibition enforcement in Washington has been ordered by President Coolidge as a result of the charge by Rear Admiral Charles P. Plunkett, commanding of the Brooklyn navy yard, that the capital is "the wettest city in the United States."

The Brooklyn naval commanding officer, Minister Tchitcherin, in a note to all members of the league, protests against the possibility of solving the Memel question by means of "one-sided reservations and advantages to a third party" also against any discussion of the Polish-Lithuanian border without Soviet participation. Russia declared she will never recognize a partition of the girl and to be married to Herbert Hodge of 3729 Pine street. Hodge says he has been married to the prisoner, but is not married to her. Norman Ellegood of 6739 Alabama avenue acknowledged he married Martha.

Mrs. Hodge denies this, claiming to be an aunt of the girl and to be married to Herbert Hodge of 3729 Pine street. Hodge says he has been married to the prisoner, but is not married to her. Norman Ellegood of 6739 Alabama avenue acknowledged he married Martha.

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The investigation directed comes as another chapter in a controversy which has been going on for several months surrounding the enforcement of prohibition in Washington. Charges and counter-charges have been made, complaints against prohibition enforcement officers have been filed by the Washington police, and the matter was brought sharply to the attention of Federal officials by the shooting, last month, of Senator George V. Verner in a bullet battle between suspected bootleggers and prohibition agents on Pennsylvania avenue, within a few blocks of the Capitol.

Since that time Commissioner Hayes has been absent from Washington, returning a few days ago.

REPORT THAT VATICAN WILL SETTLE DISPUTE WITH ITALY

London Paper Says Pope Is to Reclaim Independent Sovereign Under Guarantee of League.

London, March 12.—The Daily Express gives prominence today to a statement by the Pope and the Italian Government is about to be settled, and that in consequence the Pope no longer will consider a prisoner in the Vatican.

The terms of the agreement by which the trouble will be ended, says the newspaper, are, first, the government to surrender to the Vatican the whole of Vatican Hill, of which the Vatican now holds only a part, second, the government to build at its own cost a palace or a series of houses, for the accommodation of the Cardinals, the Holy See in return handing over to the Government scattered properties throughout Rome in which the Cardinals now are housed, and third, the independence of the Pope to be guaranteed by the League of Nations.

The statement adds that under the agreement the Pope will remain an independent sovereign and Vatican Hill will have the status of an independent country.

ARRESTED ON SWINDLE CHARGE

Man Trained Here From Murphysboro, Ill., by Deputy Sheriff.

A man walked up to Detective-Sergeant Sipple at Eighth street and Washington avenue last night and asked him to arrest another man who was a few feet away.

The will, filed by Eugene J. Mahan, an attorney, who is named executrix, is dated April 24, 1922, and specifies that Mrs. Barringer is to get the residue of the estate after G. F. and Emma Kaechelein, wife and nephew, are given \$500 each.

Miss Kaechelein instituted proceedings in Probate Court last June to have Staplefield declared of unsound mind and was successful. Edward P. Luecking, being appointed his guardian, the action was opposed then by Mrs. Barringer through McMahon.

Last week Luecking filed a will in Probate Court June 23, 1922, in which Mrs. Barringer was mentioned. The will was left to G. F. and Emma Kaechelein, wife and nephew, and was named executrix.

Deal waived extradition papers and accompanied Green back to Murphysboro last night. He made no statement to police here.

TALKS ON WORLD PROBLEMS

The Coliseum, which is estimated to seat almost 12,000 persons, was packed with the exception of a small section at the top of the gallery at the south end last night when John Randall Dunn, formerly first reader of the First Church of Christ, Scientist here, spoke on "Christian Science, the Solution of the World's Problems."

The lecture lasted about an hour and 20 minutes. The lecturer, standing before a new sounding board, was heard well even by those sitting behind and above him. It was reported. Dunn went to Boston in 1916 to become a member of the board of lecturership, later became first reader of the Mother Church, and last June returned to the board of lecturership.

Record Set in Dog Derby.

THE PAS. Manitoba, March 12.—A dog set a record for the course. A. (Shorty) Russek won the 200 miles non-stop dog derby today, crossing the finishing line at 10:35 a. m. making his time 88 hours and 47 minutes.

RUSSIA INSISTS IN PART IN MEMEL NEGOTIATIONS

Soviet Gives Notice It Will Not Recognize Decision in Which It Has No Voice.

By the Associated Press.

WICHITA, March 12.—On the eve of the League of Nations attempt through Norman H. Davis and his commission, to settle the dispute between Poland and Lithuania over Memel, the Soviet government has made official declaration that it will not consent to the disposition of territory in Northern Europe without participating in the settlement.

Admiral Plunkett's statements during a police trial at New York, immediately summoned Prohibition Commissioner Hayes to the White House and instructed him to find out if the Brooklyn commandant had been correctly quoted and, if so, to ascertain the basis of his information and initiate an investigation looking to correction of the statement.

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BOARD OF EDUCATION FAILS TO NAME MASON'S SUCCESSOR

Conference of Members to Reach Agreement Likely—New School Named.

The Board of Education last night failed, for the second time within a month, to name a successor to the late Charles P. Mason as secretary-treasurer of the board.

A conference of all members is to be held soon, however, at which it is believed an agreement may be reached on a man for this \$8200 position.

The principal applicants are H. W. McNamee, acting secretary-treasurer; E. M. Brown, board supply commissioner, and Harry F. Schoolmeyer chief clerk to the Commissioner of Buildings.

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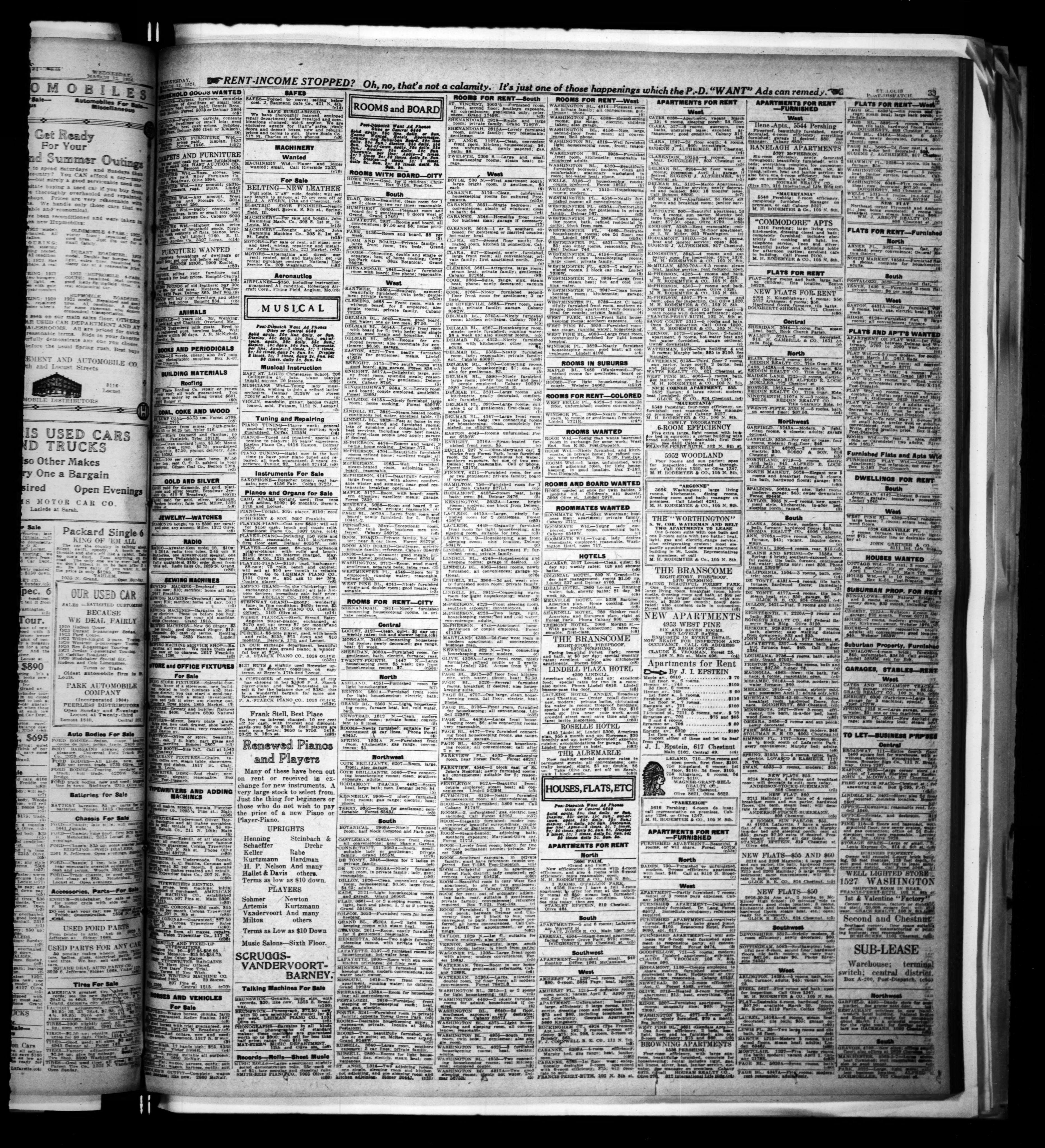
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CZECHOSLOVAKIA'S TREATIES HASTEN ECONOMIC RECOVERY

Country, Requiring Goods After War, Now in Need of Foreign Banks.

(Continued, page 12.)

By radio to the Post-Dispatch and Chicago Daily News.)

PRAGUE, March 12.—Czechoslovakia probably is a state which has done much toward hastening the return of normal conditions through treaties encouraging good, neighborly relations.

The first of these agreements just signed with Italy is merely one of a long series which has been gained for Foreign Minister Edouard Benes (the nickname of "The man of the hundred and one treaties.") Although Czechoslovakian treaties do number 101, they represent a respectable number as compared

with the few made by other countries.

For example, Hungary has made only five or six. Czechoslovakia has concluded three political treaties, namely, with Jugo-Slavia, Rumania and France. A treaty with Poland was ratified by Czechoslovakia, but remains unratified by Poland. It is said that the little treaty agreement now has five years to run.

The Czechs and Germans are on good terms economically. Czech and German factories often pooling to purchase war materials. Germany is Czechoslovakia's second best customer, Austria being first. Czech influence is strong in Vienna. Czechoslovakia has made economic agreements with about 26 countries, most European, usually on the basis of the most favored nation. These treaties cover a multitude of questions, including tariff,



An occasional dose of DR. CALDWELL'S SYRUP PEPSIN Keeps young girls fit

False Modesty Wrecks Health

THE young lady just assuming the responsibilities of a woman is very apt to be self-conscious of her physical functions, and in consequence neglect them. There is no time, however, when it is more important for her to look after them. Chief among her troubles is constipation, and her suffering will be serious when she gets older if she does not regulate her bowels now. Mrs. Mary Kellar of 132 Benton St., Sisterville, W. Va., was perplexed about her daughter until her own druggist told her they used Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepin at his house, and she did likewise. Miss Irene Mazierska of 90 Peter St., Buffalo, N. Y., is glad her attention was called to Syrup Pepin.

Safe for Young and Old

Let mothers with growing daughters interest themselves in this matter and see that their judgment is enforced. A rule followed by many is to take a spoonful of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepin once a week until the bowel function daily, and at such other times as there is headache, biliousness, sores and fever blisters, lack of energy and appetite, sleeplessness, indigestion.

If You Want to Try It Free Before Buying

"Syrup Pepin," 516 Washington St., Monticello, Illinois.

I need a good laxative and would like to know what you say about Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepin by actual test. Send me a free trial bottle. Address to

Name _____

Address _____

Not more than one free trial bottle to a family.

Not like a clam

C LAMS live to themselves. You can't. You link lives with your neighbor across the street, across the state, across the continent. You are influenced by what he wants, buys, uses, enjoys.

When enough of your neighbors want, buy, use, enjoy the same thing, you begin to see advertisements about it—advertisements to arouse you to similar use and enjoyment. They paint glowing, truthful pictures . . . try to get you interested in what will really interest you.

Convenient, courteous information is yours at a minute's glance. Style, variety, price, where obtained. That minute's glance may mean the difference between buying unworthy wares and the best.

You don't want to be like a clam—even in your judgments. Read the advertisements to be guided by others' choice. When they choose something again and again, it must be good.



Each advertisement is written to you—to help you choose—to save you money

COMMITTEE ON ENFORCEMENT OF LAW IN COUNTY

About 200 Men and Women Form Permanent Organization at Meeting at Clayton.

VALLEY PARK MAN IS MADE CHAIRMAN

Liquor Samples Taken in Raids Stolen From Office in Courthouse While Conference Is in Session.

Organization of the St. Louis County Law Enforcement Committee was effected by a meeting of more than 200 men and women in one of the Circuit Court rooms at Clayton last night.

A resolution calling for formation of a committee of the organization to co-operate in any way possible with the Sheriff "and other law enforcement officers" was adopted. It is the intention to try to furnish help, through formation of law violations and to lend moral support, also to urge citizens not to be evasive of jury service.

Two suitcases of liquor samples taken as evidence in raids were stolen from the Prosecuting Attorney's office while the meeting was going on, furnishing a striking indication of need of law enforcement. The liquor was confiscated in Southeast Missouri raids by G. M. Force, a private investigator who has been working with the County Prosecuting Attorney on liquor cases recently, and who had stored these samples in his office while in Clayton.

Officers of Committee.

J. K. Stewart of Valley Park was made chairman of the Law Enforcement Committee; Oliver Blackinton of Webster Groves, vice chairman; Mrs. J. H. Price of Kirkwood, secretary; and George R. Robinson of Kirkwood, chairman of the Finance Committee.

Prosecuting Attorney Adam Henry Joss delivered an address to the meeting, in which he said:

"Malicious rumors have been circulated about my office. If I am going to help, run these down at once or pay no attention to them. It always happens the minute a man takes office that his opponents will begin to cry 'graft.' When I came into office I promised I would try to clean up the county and be dominated by no group. I'm not dominated by any group, and that's one of the reasons for these rumors. Why, when I was in New York the rumor was circulated that I was in East St. Louis shooting craps."

Former Prosecutor Heard.

Arthur V. Lashly, a former Prosecuting Attorney, in an address on the general subject of law enforcement, mentioned Assistant Prosecuting Attorney Wilfred Jones by name, saying: "I believe he is doing good work in that office."

Wilfred Jones said that convictions had been obtained in "99 per cent" of the various indictments returned by the last grand jury that have come to trial. He named three Deputy Sheriffs who have been helpful in liquor cases and said the Constables and their deputies have been helpful.

John E. Mooney, who was an Assistant Prosecuting Attorney under Lashly, pleaded for an effort to stop "organized crime," without wasting time on petty matters. He said that he and Lashly had found an effective way of making one gambling resort unpopular. They took license numbers of automobiles parked there at night, called the owners in for public depositions and asked embarrassing questions. The individual gamblers quit for fear of publicity.

Tells of Local Trials.

For the first time since he was born, the investigator whose evidence was stolen, told how he had been working with the Prosecuting Attorney on prohibition violations. There were a number of other speakers.

Blackinton and James Cook, chairman of the ex-Clean Election League Executive Committee, were appointed to pick a committee of five or seven to co-operate with the Sheriff and other officers. It is intended to have another meeting soon, and receive a report from the Resolution Committee.

Many business men and club women were among those present last night.

AVIATION WINS RACE AGAINST DEATH BY ONE HOUR

Capt. Bubb of Kelly Field Arrives at Father's Bedside Before He Expires.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

SAN ANTONIO, Tex., March 12.—Capt. Charles Bubb of Kelly Field, San Antonio, won an airplane race against death to the bedside of his father by one hour. Capt. Bubb left Kelly Field at 7:45 o'clock in the morning, after receiving a message that his father was dying at Leavenworth, Kan. He arrived in Kansas City at 2:30 in the afternoon, took a train for Leavenworth and arrived at the bedside of his father just an hour before he died.

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THE FIVE

Miss Speer, one of the five at Wellesley College, whose dress cost her exactly 93 cents, is the prettiest and most popular at the Night's Festival which has been held at the college.

For the first time since he was born, the investigator whose evidence was stolen, told how he had been working with the Prosecuting Attorney on prohibition violations. There were a number of other speakers.

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THE FIVE PRETTIEST GIRLS OF THE YEAR AT WELLESLEY



MEMBER OF
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Mrs. Annie Murray Dike, an American, who was formally received into the French Academy of Agriculture last week. She is the first woman thus honored, and the third woman to be elected to any French academy, the other two being the Queen of Rumania and Mme. Curie.

—P. & A. Photo.

Miss Speer, one of the five most beautiful girls at Wellesley College, whose costume of crepe paper, which cost her exactly 93 cents to make, was selected as the prettiest and most attractive at an Arabian Nights Festival which has just been held at the college.

The five most beautiful girls at Wellesley College, members of the student body, selected for the Tree day celebration, the most important of the traditional nonacademic activities of the college year. Left to right: Miss Doris Dalton of Brookline, Mass., senior aid; Miss Eleanor Moak of Brooklyn, N. Y., freshman mistress; Miss Jean Smith of Detroit, Mich., senior mistress; Miss Wilda Speer of Bronxville, N. Y., and Miss Madeline Cooper of East Haven, Conn.

—Wide World Photo.

KING FUAD OF EGYPT VISITS SINAI



For the first time since the reign of Cleopatra a ruler of Egypt has visited historic Sinai. King Fuad of Egypt recently journeyed to Sinai and was joyously greeted there. He is pictured above (the short, stout man) on his arrival at El-Arich with members of his official party.

—International Newsreel Photo.

TCHITCHERIN, NEW SHEIK OF SOVIET RUSSIA



Tchitcherin (right), Minister of Foreign Affairs in the soviet government, is probably the first "nonbeliever" "crowned" with a Moslem turban. To the left is the representative of Bokhara who, in the name of his government, presented Tchitcherin with the turban and costume made of white and red silk.

—P. & A. Photo.

FORMER CROWN PRINCE

Wilhelm in front of his castle at Oels, Silesia, from a photograph just received in this country.

—Wide World Photo.

LINCOLN AN INVENTOR



Records at the United States Patent Office disclose the fact that Abraham Lincoln was an inventor. Mr. Sir Louis of the department of history of the Smithsonian Institution is shown holding the model of his invention, seemingly whittled out of a shingle and a cigar box, bearing the inscription, "6469, Abraham Lincoln, improvement in method of lifting vessels over shoals; patented May 22, 1869."

—P. & A. Photo.

POIRET HANDS DOWN THE SPRING VERDICT



Paul Poiret, the internationally famous French dressmaker of Paris, showing some of his models which will probably be widely seen this coming summer.

—P. & A. Photo.



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for the Spring



The popularity of pleats is self-evident this year. Perhaps one of the smartest things in spring apparel is a black satin dress with a broad sash of moire ribbon in red and white in Mandarin style.

HOME-MAKING HELP

By WANDA BARTON

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The Man on the Sandbox by L. C. Dunn

NELLIE'S APRON. WHILE many one-horse towns there be, Where I could live quite happily, The line I am compelled to draw At Nellie's Apron, Arkansaw.

ECHO FROM TERRAPIN RIDGE I'd rather live in Greenville, Where the path we walk is straight; And perhaps it may be narrow But we don't approach the salt That is travelled in St. Louis, Nor our cemetery fill. In this village is Bond County—Like they do in Herrin, Ill. W. W. W.

UT in old St. Louis County I would rather live and die, Where the kick is in the bourbon And the bloom is on the rye.

ON THE 5:15. WEED BENDER, the name is right. Has really started a wonderful fight, For Kirkwood is so far away If you ever get there you're bound to stay. SLEE.

WE hold no brief for Kirkwood, Mo. Where mushrooms in profusion grow; But Kirkwood's not so far away And the 5:15 runs every day.

THEY DON'T. Branch Rickey is of the opinion that bootlegging and base running don't mix.

To the end that the ubiquitous bootlegger be banished from the Senate a while longer.

EVERY DAY MOVIES



"William, I believe you're an old scofflaw." "No sub, I'm a Republican."

FAVORITE STORIES

By Irvin S. Cobb.

BOTH RELATING TO POULTRY.

This is an old favorite of mine, and possibly because I have been hearing it for so many years.

Late at night a farmer was aroused by drowsy cacklings on the part of his hens. Arming himself, he slipped forth and, suddenly rapping on the door of the poultry house, he cried out:

"Who's in there?"

There was a pause and then a quavering Afro-American voice spoke:

"Tain't nobody in yere 'ceptin' jest us chickens."

There is a companion story of this, of somewhat more recent vintage. A traveler, passing through a colored settlement, heard cries of anguish. Rounding a turn in the lane, he came upon a large, very black woman who unmercifully was belaboring a small wailing pickaninny.

"Wait a minute," said the stranger. "What's that boy done to deserve such a beating?"

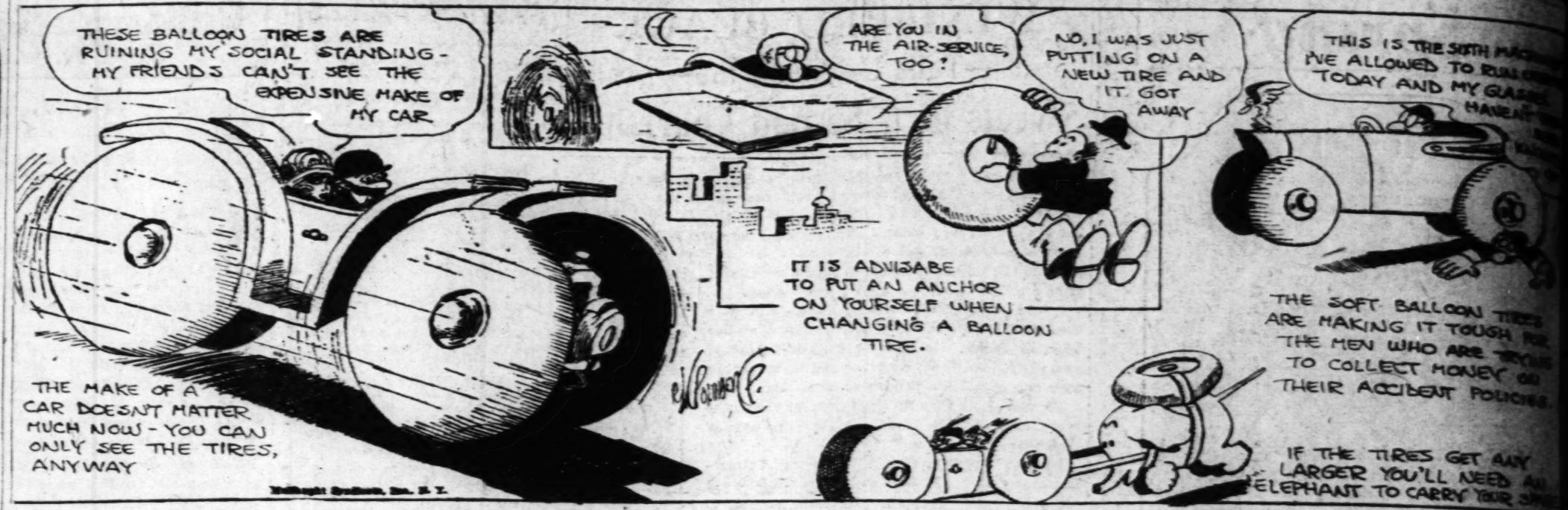
"He's done done plenty," stated the woman, pausing the disciplining with hand uplifted. "He tuck an' left de chicken-coop do' open an' all de chickens got out an' run away."

"I wouldn't worry about it," said the gentleman, anxious to save the offender from further punishment. "You know how chickens are—they'll come back home."

"Come back!" Her voice rose to a pestered shriek. "Huh—
you'll GO BACK!"

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BALLOON TIRES ARE JUST ANOTHER SIGN OF THESE WINDY TIMES—By RUBE GOLDBERG



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POLITICS NOT
TO HALT THE
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BEER INQUIRY

Federal Agents Go Ahead,
Their Work Being to
Keep Clean the Personnel
of Prohibition Force.

HEBER NATIONS TO
HOLD JOB, HYDE SAYS

After Talk With Labor
Commissioner, Governor
Says He Has Learned of
No Reason to Fire Him.

Investigation by the intelligence unit of the Internal Revenue Department into the charge that protection was afforded to the manufacture and sale of real beer in St. Louis, is proceeding without regard to the political aspect of the case.

Heber Nations, State Labor Commissioner, has charged that the investigation started in a plot to remove his brother, Gus O. Nations, as Missouri field director of prohibition enforcement, and to wrest control of the Republican state organization from Gov. Hyde. On the eve of the State convention, E. F. de Hart, Federal Prohibition director for Missouri, who is an友 to Heber Nations, has charged that the investigation was of a political nature. Nations made a counter-attack which appears largely political. E. Mont Kelly, "Lip" Morse, "Hank" Weeks and other political personages are figuring in the discussion.

But the present inquiry did not have its origin in political motives, and it is being carried on with no view toward serving party or factional interests. David Nolan, St. Louis representative of the intelligence unit, is in charge of the inquiry, which had its beginning last January in an order of Elmer Frey, head of the unit in Washington. The intelligence unit concerns itself with keeping clean the personnel of the Federal Prohibition Enforcement Bureau.

Gov. Hyde, of Jefferson City last night, ratified his announcement that he would retain Heber Nations in the office of Labor Commissioner for the present, but that if information is received later, or charges made, connecting him with other protection, "the question of his successor will be decided immediately."

Heber Nations to Go to Washington.

Nations, in Jefferson City today, said he intended to go to Washington within a few days, to lay before the Prohibition Enforcement Bureau the facts regarding the charges made relating to enforcement conditions in Missouri. He said the information was of "personal character." Nations said he would be unable to leave for a day or two, because of the illness of the editor of the Jefferson City Daily Post, of which he is proprietor. He spent much of his time today at the office of the paper.

Nations, in talking with the Governor in Kansas City yesterday, revealed the charge, which he made in a formal statement, of an attempt to wreck the State administration and gain control of the State convention for the Baker-Morse forces.

"Nations came here to see me at one instance," the Governor said to a Post-Dispatch reporter at Kansas City last night. "I had planned to meet him in St. Louis, but he came to Kansas City instead, so he never saw me sooner."

"We knew I intended to demand a show trial, which meant either that he must be tried or the Governor cast out when his brother, Gus Nations, brought his name into the public, or he would have to leave my administration."

"Nothing to do with it." It was shown what purported to be a statement by David Nolan, who had no information or charges against Heber Nations. Nations declared that under no circumstances would he resign, as he believed this would be interpreted as an admission of weakness. There was nothing before me on which to act, so I submitted judgment.

"Nations making this decision, I have been told that Nolan has mentioned the statement several times to him and pointed here and there which I acted. I will endeavor to find out from Nolan what he said. For the present the matter will rest where it is on the part concerned."

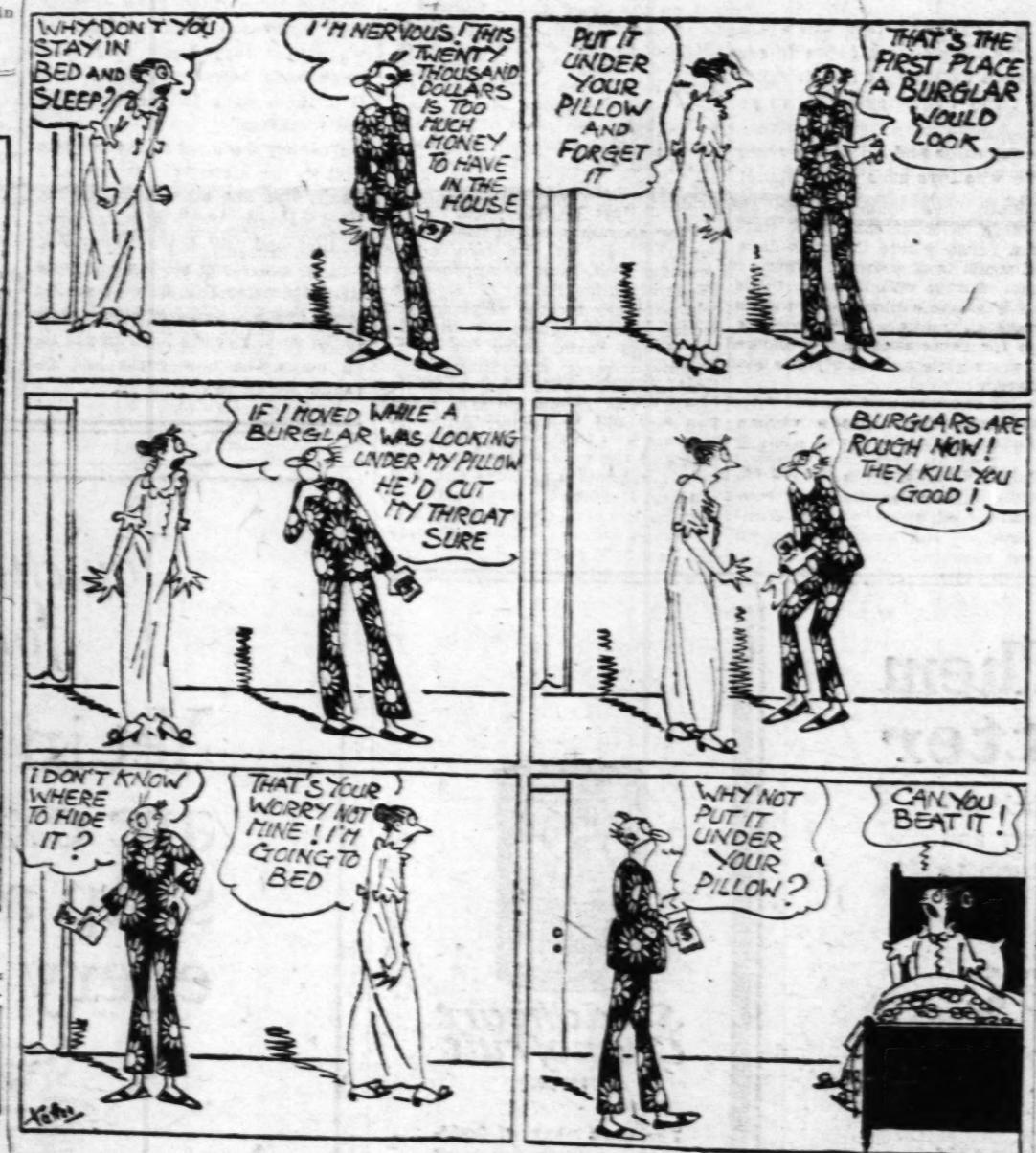
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KRAZIE KAT—By HERRIMAN



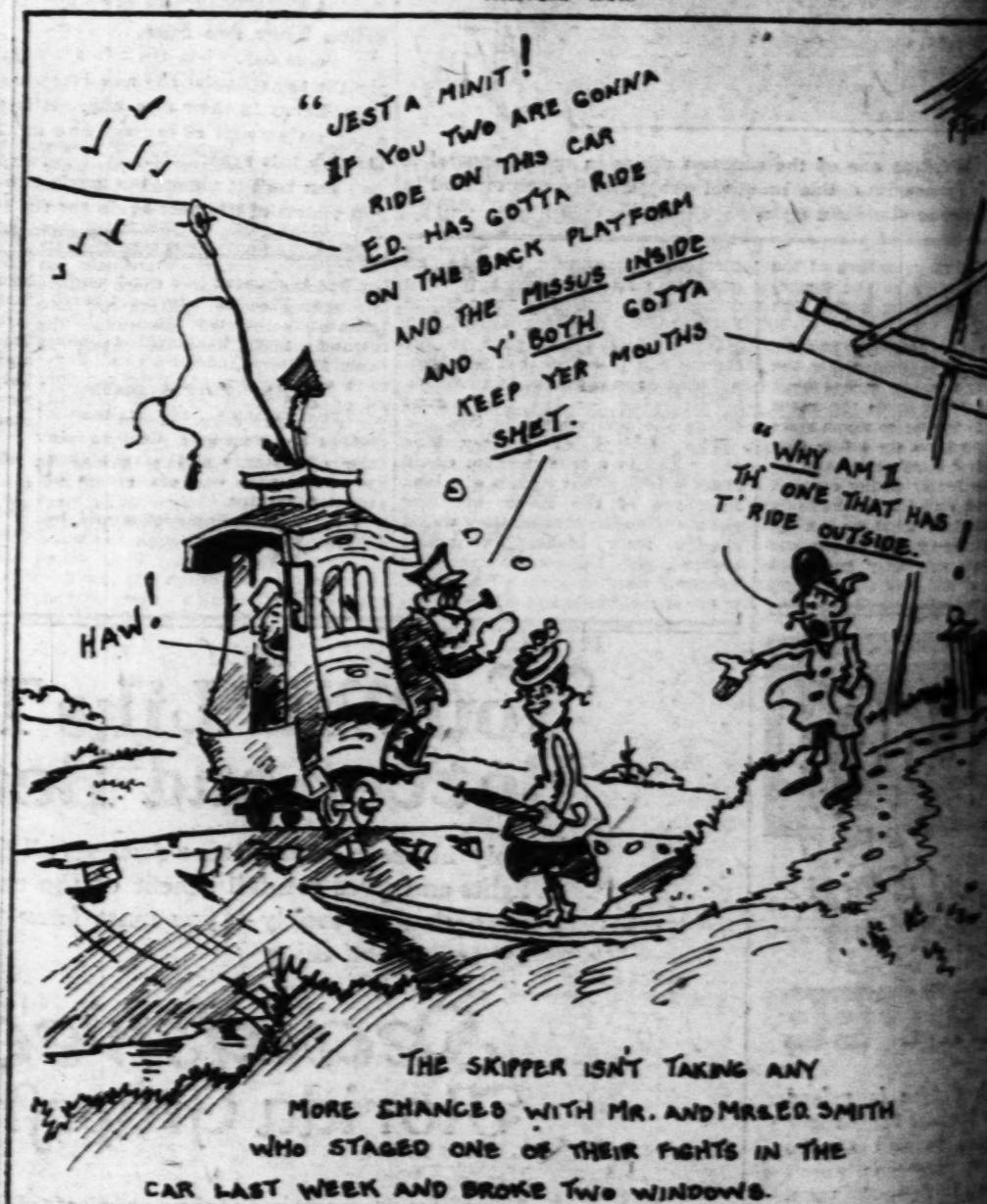
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THE SKIPPER ISN'T TAKING ANY

MORE CHARGES WITH MR. AND MRS. SMITH
WHO STAGED ONE OF THEIR FIGHTS IN THE
CAR LAST WEEK AND BROKE TWO WINDOWS.

MUTT AND JEFF—POLITICALLY, MUTT IS HANGING ON THE ROPES—By BUD FISHER

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